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REBELS PREPARE TO ATTACK PEKIN

VOLUNTEERS ON WAY TO JOIN REVOLUTIONISTS

Manchu Nobles, Deprived of Power, Threaten Trouble for New Cabinet

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 17.—Interal strife threatens the Manchus, according to a cable dispatch received to-day by the Chinese Free Press of this city. The dispatch said that since the new cabinet had been formed the Manchu nobles had lost much of their power and that much jealousy had resulted.

The situation in the Manchu family is greatly strained and trouble is expected, said the dispatch which was sent from Shanghai.

Another dispatch from Shanghai to the Free Press said that Liang Chi Chiao, the new vice-president of the board of justice, spent $300,000 in an attempt to gain the premiership. The dispatch said he and Yuen Shi Kai were not friendly.

A Hongkong cable to the Chinese daily paper said that the rebel army from Hu Peh had arrived at Chin Ting. General Che Li is in command. An attack on Pekin is expected to take place soon.

Honan has declared independence and the governor, Bo Fan, has fled, according to the dispatch.

Eight thousand volunteers commanded by General Tom Yi have started from Kwang Tung province to aid in the attack on Pekin.

Rebel Leaders.

West Point, N. Y., Nov. 17.—When the Chinese rebels now gathered outside Nanking move on that city to commence what is expected to be the decisive battle of the rebellion, two of their most prominent leaders will be Ting Cria Chan and Yuen Tsing Wen, graduates of the United States military academy here. Both were members of the class of 1909 and the first two Chinese to learn the military science under the tutelage of the United States. The two completed their course here and were sent to Germany and France where they spent 18 months. In January of this year they were expected back in Pekin. When the rebellion began both of the young officers obtained commissions in the rebel army.

Protecting Railway.

Paris, Nov. 17.—The Temps understands that there have been exchanges between the Powers relative to the eventual dispatch of foreign troops along the railroad from Pekin to Tien Tsin and says that American initiative in the matter would not be surprising.

LIBERAL WHIPS

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—Fred Pardee, chief Liberal whip, has nominated assistant whips as follows: Ontario, D. C. Ross, Middlesex; Quebec, Mr. Papineau, Beauharnois; New Brunswick, E. B. Carve, Carleton; Nova Scotia, George Kyte, Richmond; Manitoba, Dr. Molloy, Provencher; Saskatchewan, J. C. Turiff, East Assiniboia; Alberta, J. D. Douglas, Strathcona.

Manitoba ministers are now conferring with a sub-committee of the cabinet consisting of Premier Borden, Hon. W. T. White, Hon. F. Monk and Hon. Robt. Rogers.

MILLIONS ARE IN NEED OF RELIEF

Crops Have Been Failure in Twenty Russian Provinces

St. Petersburg, Nov. 17.—Eight million persons are in need of immediate relief owing to the failure of the crops in 20 Russian provinces, according to a statement by Premier Kokovsoff in the Duma. The necessity measures will require the expenditure of $60,000,000, of which the Imperial exchequer would have to find $44,000,000.

THREE HUNTERS MISSING.

It Is Feared Men Lost Their Lives in the Storm.

Medford, Ore., Nov. 17.—W. Broas, Harry Lackous and C. B. Walker, all of this city, who left here during October on a hunting trip to the head of Elk creek, have not returned, and it is feared that they have perished in the mountains. When they left it was their intention to return home about November 1, and when they did not efforts were made by their relatives and friends to determine their whereabouts. A searching party is being organized by O. C. Lackous, father of one of the men, but it is considered doubtful if success meets its efforts as the snow is reported unusually deep in the Elk Creek district for this time of the year.

QUAKES SHAKE CENTRAL EUROPE

WIDESPREAD DAMAGE TO PROPERTY REPORTED

Railway Traffic Interrupted—Many People Spend Night in Streets

Berlin, Nov. 17.—Sharp earth shocks occurred last night at Munich, Strassburg, Frankfort, Stuttgart and Mayence. The shocks were felt quite severely at Stuttgart and Frankfort. In Frankfort half-clad people rushed into the streets. Big cracks appeared in the walls of several buildings. At Stuttgart household furniture was overturned. At Constantino, in the Grand Duchy of Baden, many buildings, including the post office, were seriously damaged. A railway viaduct near Lantlingen fell in. There was a panic in a theatre at Heidelberg.

The earthquake was felt in a wide area of central Europe. The Castle of Hohenzollern, on the Steep Zollerberg, near Hechingen, was disfigured and great cracks appeared in the towers.

At Constantino, in the Grand Duchy of Baden, the spire and cross of the cathedral, an imposing building, fell. A colossal statue of Germania, which crowned the post office building, crumbled into the street.

The kingdom of Wurtemburg was shaken hard; in Ebingen 500 frightened persons spent the night around fires in an open field. Railway communication with that place has been interrupted.

Earth shocks are unusual in the districts affected, and the alarm generally was greater than would have been the case in countries where seismic disturbances are a more common occurrence.

Several buildings, including St. Stephen's church, were damaged at Muethausen, and a large stone was shaken from the church steeple. Bricks and tiles from disturbed buildings littered the streets. A theatre audience stampeded from the playhouse.

The shock was felt less severely at Vienna, Austria, according to reports.

In Switzerland.

Berne, Switzerland, Nov. 17.—A violent earth shock was felt throughout Switzerland at 10.27 o'clock last night. This was followed by lesser quakes. The movement was especially strong in the cantons of Berne and Zurich, in the district of Interlake, and throughout the region of the Alps.

So far as known, there were no casualties.

In Geneva street cars were derailed. In this city and in Zurich theatre audiences were thrown in a panic and rushed into the streets.

At Chamouix enormous avalanches rushed down Mount Blanc.

SELECTING JURY TO TRY M'NAMARA

Two More Jurors Sworn in—Five Men Are Now in the Box

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 17.—Two more jurors, making five in all, were sworn in the McNamara murder trial to-day. They are J. B. Sexton, a retired farmer, and William J. Andrea, a non-union carpenter.

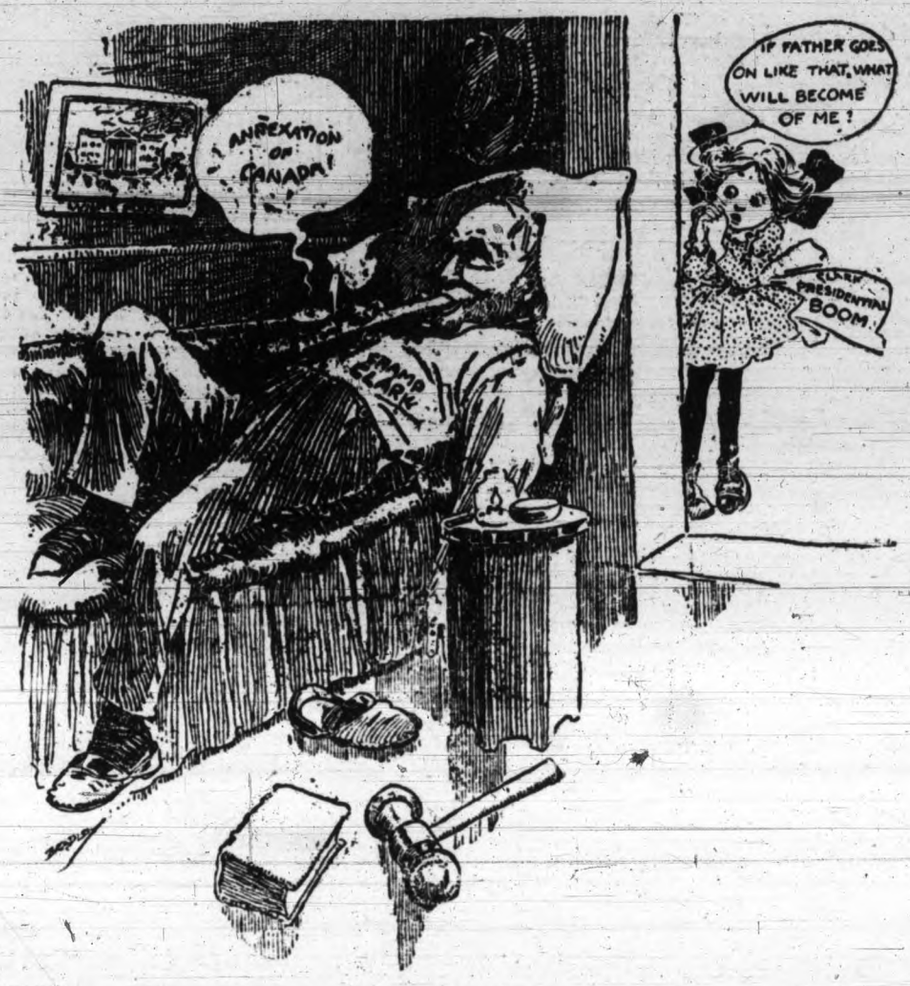
The state excused Talesmen Arthur Gribling, William Brunner and Clark McLain. The defence excused Brewster C. Kenyon, A. C. Heath, T. H. Elliott and Jacob Lansing. The defence now has eleven and the state five more challenges.

The excusing of McLain by the state and of Kenyon by the defence and the failure of the defence to excuse Andre were the surprises of the situation. McLain is a banker, is of a class supposed by the defence to be particularly adverse to unsettled conditions in business and to people who make them so. Kenyon was thought to have been marked by the state because of his expressed disapproval of General H. G. Otis, proprietor of the Times. His varied investments, in the opinion of the defence, might prove an interference and he was excused for this reason.

Andre, in his examination by the defence, said he was favorable to unions, "if they kept within their rights, as they sometimes do," and believed the Times was dynamited.

INDICTED FOR MURDER.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 17.—Burt Hicks, a manufacturer and machine ship owner, was to-day indicted for murder in the first degree in connection with the killing on the night of November 2, of A. W. Wortman, a union picket. Hicks' establishment had been under the labor union ban and he constantly was annoyed by pickets of the organization. On the night in question, it was said by Hicks he was assaulted by Wortman and shot in self-defence. Wortman's friends claim that the shooting was uncalled for and that Wortman was not the aggressor.



CHAMP'S PIPE DREAM

—Chicago News.

FINDS NEW METAL IN THE KOOTENAY

DISCOVERY REPORTED BY A. GORDEN FRENCH

Found in Platinum-Bearing Ores—Has Been Named Canadium

Nelson, Nov. 17.—An entirely new metal, hitherto unknown to science, but possessing highly valuable commercial properties, has been discovered by Andrew French, a well known metallurgist, in the platinum-bearing ores of the Kootenay district.

Mr. French made his discovery last May, but made no announcement of it at that time as he wished first to ascertain definitely the properties of the new metal which he has named Canadium.

The new metal belongs to the platinum group, in which chemists have long recognized that there was a vacant space. It has a beautiful white color and a brilliant permanent lustre. It will be highly valuable, its discoverer claims, for gem settings and for the reflecting surface of concave mirrors.

It occurs in the dyke rocks of the Kootenay district in quantities varying from a few pennyweight to three ounces per ton. The discovery, it is believed, will be of tremendous importance to the mining industry of the Kootenay.

OUTBREAK FEARED.

Rumors of Revolutionary Movement in Mexico—United States Troops to Remain on Border.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—Danger of another well-organized and formidable revolutionary movement in Mexico has caused the suspension of the return to their home stations of the American troops sent into the border country during the Madero revolution. The attitude of the United States is one of apprehension of further trouble, and which this precaution is to be taken to insure the strictest neutrality.

Austin, Tex., Nov. 17.—Two companies of Texas Rangers to-day were ordered to the border with instructions to prevent any activity in Texas toward starting a revolution in Mexico. These movements were made after a conference between Governor Colquitt and Ranger Captain Hughes, who claims to have evidence that part of the preparations for a Mexican revolution are under way in Texas.

SHOT BY EX-CONVICT.

Big Timber, Mont., Nov. 17.—Joseph Brannin, a deputy sheriff, was shot and instantly killed last night at Melville while attempting to arrest Mel Jewell, an ex-convict.

BOAT CAPSIZES; SEVEN PERISH

LOG DRIVERS DROWNED IN WASHINGTON RIVER

Six Others Have Narrow Escape—Cling to Keel of Overturned Boat

Woodland, Wash., Nov. 17.—When a boat in which thirteen log drivers in the upper Lewis river, suddenly slewed about yesterday and upset, seven men of the party lost their lives. The men had been engaged in log driving on the upper fork of the river and at a point where the tragedy occurred the river runs with terrible swiftness.

The rains of the last few days had swollen the stream and it was becoming like a great flume. All the men were employed by the Lewis River Boom company, which gathers the logs brought down in the drives of the different logging camps and makes them into booms under contract. The remaining six of the party had a very narrow escape. Two succeeded in swimming ashore. The others hung to the capsized boat until rescuers could reach them.

Among those drowned was Tom O'Connor, of Ridgefield. He was to have been married in a few days. The stalwart young riverman had braved the perils of the log drivers' lot in order to save more money.

To-day a rescue party is on its way to the place where the drowning occurred, carrying provisions for the living and grappling hooks with which to recover the dead.

The dead: Arnold Mark, Ellwood; Eli Lipton, Woodland; Tom O'Connor, Ridgefield; Alexander Taylor, Woodland, leaves wife and two children; Calloway, Yacolla; Carlo, Yacolla, unidentified man of Yacolla.

THE MEDINA SAFE.

No Truth in Report of Stranding of King's Vessel in the Mediterranean.

London, Nov. 17.—The Admiralty received a wireless message from the steamer Medina, on which King George and Queen Mary are on their way to India for the Durbar, the message proving untrue the report that the steamer had stranded in the Mediterranean.

SHIPPING ACTION.

London, Nov. 17.—The hearing of cross-actions arising from the collision of the White Star liner Olympic with the British cruiser Hawke, off the north coast of the Isle of Wight, on September 20, was begun in the Admiralty court yesterday. Both plaintiffs alleged negligence in navigation and the verdict will carry liability for enormous damages.

MILITIA OFFICERS IN CONFERENCE

GENERAL MACKENZIE DELIVERS ADDRESS

Organization Must Be Kept Up to Standard in Time of Peace

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—The feature of the opening of the second day of the militia conference was an address by General Colin Mackenzie, who dealt with all phases of the military situation in a practical manner. He referred to necessity for thorough organization, remarking that it was essential that it should be just as effective in time of peace as when there is war.

General Mackenzie pointed out that at the imperial conference held last summer an agreement had been arrived at by the various parts of the empire to organize on similar lines, and Canada had done more to give effect to the policy than any other section of the empire. Since criticism of General French in 1910 a great deal had been done to bring the peace organization in the Dominion up to a war basis in the point of efficiency.

Reference was made to the fact that a number of offers had been received from various parts of Canada to organize new military units. In this connection it was important that there should be no duplication of the kind of units already in existence.

A report from sub-committee on military training was presented by Lieut.-Col. Fetheringham. Among other things the establishment of a university and college battalion was recommended, with the object of furnishing qualified officers for the militia of the Dominion. Every college would have a military committee nominated by president, and the course should include at least 25 instructional parades.

General Mackenzie approved of the proposals contained in the report of the committee.

UNREST IN VENEZUELA.

Troops Ready to Take Castro Should He Attempt to Invade Republic.

Williamstad, Nov. 17.—Authoritative advices from Caracas state that serious unrest prevails in Venezuela. The Venezuelan government is enraged at Colombia because that republic declined to arrest ex-President Castro and deliver him to the Venezuelan authorities. Castro is said to be on his estate at Cuouta, Colombia, on the Venezuelan frontier.

Venezuela believes that Colombia sympathizes with Castro because of his extreme anti-Americanism. President Gomez has 300 men near the frontier to fall upon Castro if he invades Venezuela.

CENSORSHIP OF DRAMA WANTED

VANCOUVER DESIRES TO TREAD NEW PATHS

Will Ask Legislature for Power to Try the Experiment Over There

It matters not that the Lord Chamberlin has brought down on his head time and again the wrath of dramatists and critics, and that the attempts at amateur censorship on this continent have been rather laughable than otherwise, the city of Vancouver is desirous of trying the experiment of civic censorship along with the other civic experiments which it is shortly to enter upon.

In the legislation which the city will ask the House to grant it next session in the shape of amendments to that much-amended measure, the Vancouver Incorporation Act, is the following provision:

"For appointing a censor or censors, with powers by himself or themselves or with such force and assistance as he or they shall deem necessary, to inspect, prohibit, stop, put an end to, and remove plays, shows, operas, and performances and exhibitions of any kind whatsoever, and signs, bills, placards, advertisements, pictures, writings, and drawings of any kind whatsoever, which in the opinion of such censor or censors are lewd, indecent, or immoral."

There is nothing said as to whether this censorship is to extend to any performances, farce or comic-opera, which may be staged in the municipal council chamber, although, of course, with a commission of business men in charge of the city's affairs, as is proposed from 1913 on, there is not so apt to be anything of this sort.

While the working of the commission form of government in the sister city will be watched with interest there will quite likely be a lot of fun to be go out of observing how civic censorship of the drama works out there. This is not to say that there are not room and occasion to censor moving pictures and certain other displays—nor would any critic deny that many a show the theatre would be better without—but civic or other official oversight of the serious drama has so far been such a failure that Vancouver's experiment is not likely to be any more successful.

Manicurists are also to be taken under the civic wing across the water, as well as Turkish baths, massage parlors and the like. Private detectives, too, must secure licenses and be regulated. The licensing and regulating of all these establishments and also of junk shops is to be extended to "persons, firms and corporations operating them."

SUFFER HARDSHIPS DURING BLIZZARD

Three Men, Woman and Babe Overtaken by Storm in the Mountains

Bellingham, Wash., Nov. 17.—Caught on a great trail eighty miles east of Bellingham, near the summit of the Cascades, in the Washington forest, by the blizzard which raged through the mountains for three days last week, Forest Rangers Ridley, McGuire, Monahan and Soll, accompanied by Mrs. Soll and a babe in arms, reached Bellingham yesterday in a pitiable condition from exposure and exhaustion. Four days were spent in coming down the upper Skagit Valley over a trail usually covered in half of a day, to Mable Mountain. Here they rested and doctored the frost bites and came into this city later. They were on their way out for the winter when overtaken by the blizzard. The temperature of ten degrees below zero was experienced while wearing summer clothing, and the provisions carried were intended to last but one day, and were made to last four days.

MAY INVALIDATE MARRIAGES.

Mount Vernon, Ill., Nov. 17.—The validity of hundreds of Illinois marriages will be affected by the decision of the appellate court of Southern Illinoise, placed on record here to-day. The court held that the Illinois law forbidding the remarriage of divorced persons within one year could not be evaded by persons going outside of the state to be married and then returning to the state to live.

BABY'S BODY IN PARCEL.

Montreal, Nov. 17.—Mail clerks at the post office made a gruesome discovery yesterday, when on unwrapping a big parcel the dead body of a baby boy was found. The officials could not tell from what district the parcel had come, as the mail was collected from all the different districts and had been dumped out together for sorting on one of the large tables.

VICTORIA MUST GET IN THE RACE

SOUTHERN PORTS ARE AFTER PANAMA TRADE

The Late Government Planned Works Which Would Have Effected Object

Hardly a day passes without some indication of the efforts being made by all the Pacific coast cities across the line to equip their ports to bid for the immense trade which will follow the opening of the Panama Canal, and the lesson is plain to those who are responsible for the port of Victoria that they must be equally active and aggressive.

Not only are the larger and what might be called the recognized ports in the race for supremacy in this regard down the coast, but smaller ports like Los Angeles are going to make a bid for their share of the ocean tonnage which is expected to come to the Pacific. Telegraphic advices from Seattle this morning tell of the visit to that city of A. P. Flemming, secretary of the board of harbor commissioners in Los Angeles. He is making a tour of the harbors of the coast and he predicts that the Pacific, before many years, will have its New York, Boston, Montreal, Quebec, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Halifax, and that there will be business for all just as all the ports named on the Atlantic coast have their share of the great traffic on that side.

Mr. Flemming says very aptly that the biggest prizes will go to those ports which are best equipped to handle the business, and he is quoted as making the statement that his city is out against Seattle to be the New York of the Pacific, having made a good getaway in the race by undertaking a great harbor scheme. The sum of $6,000,000 is being expended by the United States government on the breakwater at San Pedro, the city of Los Angeles will add another $10,000,000 for the improvement of inner and outer harbors, now under control of the municipality, of which amount $3,000,000 is now available.

The need for extensive works here to properly equip the port of Victoria to take its place as one of the great harbors of the Pacific has been recognized by merchants and citizens for years, and was acknowledged by the late federal government. The representative of the province in the cabinet of Sir Wilfrid Laurier kept the matter before his colleagues steadily and convinced them of the justice of the claims of Victoria to have improvement works carried out here. Hon. Mr. Templeman succeeded in bringing the case to a head last summer, securing the consent of the then minister of public works to the early commencement of such improvements as would make this a thoroughly safe and commodious harbor. What his plans were he explained during the campaign and these were unanimously endorsed by the various local interests affected, as well as by prominent citizens generally who were all deeply imbued with the necessity of the works which he proposed.

These included the building of two breakwaters outside the harbor, one projecting from Holland Point to Brotchie Ledge and the other from Macauley Point. The effect of these would have been to protect the harbor from the sweep of the southwest gales, which are the most serious here. The cost would be but two million dollars, a small sum when the result the ex-

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SIX KILLED IN RAILWAY WRECK

Bodes of Four Victims Cremated When Fire Destroys Work Cars

Butte, Mont., Nov. 17.—An empty passenger train returning to Livingston, struck a Northern Pacific work train at Spy's Rock, three miles west of Pipestone, killing six men who were riding in the caboose of a freight train.

The passenger was travelling down grade at a good speed when the work train was struck. The train was stopped as soon as possible, but the light caboose and several of the work cars had been telescoped.

The cars took fire immediately and before the wrecking crew could be summoned were burned and four of the bodies were cremated.

GIFT FROM ROCKEFELLER.

Brantford, Ont., Nov. 17.—No small surprise was caused yesterday by the announcement of W. Madison Hicks that he had secured the promise of $15,000 from John D. Rockefeller for the erection of a Dominion labor temple in Brantford as the home of the newly-formed Independent Labor League.

WILL SEND FORCE TO PERSIA.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 17.—As no reply has been received from the Persian government, it was officially announced that the government has ordered the immediate dispatch of troops to Persia.

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The registrar of joint stock companies is hot on the trail of the multitude of companies which do not fulfil the requirements of the Companies' Act. To his previous long list of companies which are given two months to put themselves right Mr. Whiteside has in this week's B. C. Gazette a list of 365 delinquents. When he started his campaign for the cleaning up of the rolls his notices usually contained but ten or a dozen names, generally of long defunct concerns.

The striking thing about his recent lists is the number of live firms whose names are given; in Victoria, for instance, of firms which one can see doing business any day. In all these cases, of course, the necessary statements will be sent in and the registrar will not have to carry out the alternative of striking the company off the roll and consigning it to the limbo where rest some hundreds of mining companies especially.

Certificates of incorporation have been granted during the week to the following companies: Americana Company, Ltd.; Britannia Investors, Ltd.; British North America Securities Corporation, Ltd.; Cook Construction Co., Ltd.; Dissette Motor Co., Ltd.; Dominion Shale Brick & Sewer Pipe Co., Ltd.; Lurie Automobile, Ltd.; Pacific Chocolate Co., Ltd.; Pacific Fruit Lands, Ltd.; Port Haney Poultry Ranch, Ltd.; Scientific American Company Dept., Ltd.; Union Mortgage Co., Ltd.; Utility Can Manufacturing Co., Ltd.; Yellowhead Pass Light & Power Co., Ltd.

Extra-provincial companies registered are: Barnhardt Brothers & Spindler, B. F. Gooderich Co. of California, Ferguson-Hendrix Co., Northern Clay Co., Wells, Fargo & Co.

The Fidelity-Phenix Fire Insurance Company of New York, has been licensed under the British Columbia Fire Insurance Act to do business in the province, the head office for British Columbia being here, with Arthur Coles as attorney for the company.

A license has been granted to The P. C. Construction Co., Ltd., an English firm with its head office in Portland House, Lloyd's street, London. The head office for this province is in the Temple Building, Fort street, and the attorney for the company is Henry K. G. Bamber.

The appointments gazetted are: John Jorgensen, Kimsquit, to be a justice of the peace; Plus J. McIntyre, Vancouver, to be a commissioner for taking affidavits; Joseph A. Manghan, Merritt, and Charles E. Wilson, Victoria, to be notaries public; H. H. Matthews, Nicola, and A. N. B. Rogers, Merritt, to be official members of the board of directors of Nicola Valley General hospital.

The municipality of Notrh Cowichan publishes, as required by law, by-law No. 68, under which White road is closed for 110 feet at its westerly end and land to be expropriated for a diversion of the road.

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POLITICAL EQUALITY LEAGUE.

An Interesting Meeting Was Held Yesterday Afternoon.

Mrs. N. King, 1143, Caledonia street, entertained the members of the Equality League yesterday afternoon. Many members were present, and Mrs. Baer was in the chair. She opened the meeting with a short introductory address on the enfranchisement of women, and spoke of woman's work being seriously hampered by her inability to vote. Mrs. Gordan Grant, the speaker of the afternoon, appealed to women to sign the petition to be sent to the provincial legislature praying for the granting of the franchise to women. She referred to the great good that would result from the vote of women. Other laws of a beneficent character would follow.

Judge Lindsey, of Denver, was once re-elected by women's votes, Mrs. Grant stated, and she pointed out to her audience that they must learn to stand on their own feet and demand recognition. Mrs. Baer read Kipling's "Female of the Species," and also a paraody on it from the press in a most pleasing manner. Miss Bromley-Jubb read Sidney Lowe's interpretation of the same poem. After the programme the petition was handed about for signatures.

LADIES OF LUTHERAN CHURCH.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Grace Lutheran church, Blanchard and Queen avenues, held a special meeting at the home of Mrs. Kenny, 2651 Work street, yesterday afternoon. The ladies are busy preparing for the church bazaar to be held about the first of the coming month. The afternoon was devoted to arrangements for the sale. Those attending were Mesdames Drahn, Butler, Murray, Peden, Nelson, Anderson, Olesson, Deacon, Harold, Sanson, Drupe and Mrs. McDugle.

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The death of Mrs. Mary Howard, an old and highly respected resident of Victoria, occurred at 10.15 last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Duncan, 1627 Fort street. Deceased lady was a native of Manchester, England, and had been a resident in this city since 1892. She was 72 years of age and leaves to mourn her loss one sister, Mrs. McCandless, of Menzies street; one daughter, Mrs. C. D. Duncan, and one son, Victor Howard, now employed as geologist with a mining company in California. Funeral arrangements will be made later.

The funeral of the late Jacob Miller took place from the family residence, "Belford," 197 Government street, at 2.30 yesterday afternoon, Rev. W. Leslie Clay conducting the services. A large number of friends and relatives gathered to pay their last tributes to the deceased. A Hoat, J. Dilworth, A. Taylor, A. A. Starr, Geo. Burnett and Geo. Hillerton were the pallbearers.

The remains of the late Mrs. Jane Carlow will be laid to rest from the Hanna-Thomson chapel to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Interment will be made at Ross Bay cemetery.

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NEW LEADER'S CALL TO ARMS

BONAR LAW ON WORK BEFORE UNIONISTS

Urges Party to Oppose Welsh Disestablishment and Irish Home Rule

London, Nov. 17. — Andrew Bonar Law, the new Unionist leader, delivered his first speech last night, when he addressed a tremendous audience in Leeds. Referring to the Canadian election, he said that the election was, as Mr. Balfour had said, not only the remarkable event of the year in political circles of the British Empire, but may turn out, and he believed it would turn out, a landmark in the history of the world.

"If we are to understand the full significance of these elections, let us consider not what the radical speakers and the radical press now say, but what they said then. We were told that the reciprocity free trade marked a great step towards free trade. If that were true, then the rejection of the treaty is not a step, but a leap backwards from what they called free trade. We are told the treaty was the death blow to the cause of preference. If that were true, then the rejection of the treaty has given new life to the cause.

"The controlling cause of the elections was that Canadians believed, and I agree, that President Taft was right when he said it was a case of now or never, because they believed that their decision then would settle finally whether Canada was to continue as an autonomous nation, becoming more closely united to the Empire, or whether she should gradually come under the influence of the great friendly nation lying to the south."

It was an ignorant and impudent claim, he said, that the elections did not bear on the cause of preference. They were, and are, an emphatic reminder that reciprocity preference is the aim of Great Britain's autonomous dominions. Canadians, through the election decisions, had done their part. It is up to the old country now. He regarded his Canadian birth and early training as one of the greatest qualifications he might have for the leadership of the Unionist party.

Mr. Law called on the Unionists to work for the turning out of the government; to fight against the disestablishment of the Anglican church in Wales and against Home Rule and for a tariff. He made much of the government's absolute dependence upon the church party. He urged the tariff as a means of raising the general level of wages. Though he did not pretend that the tariff was a cure for all ills, he held that it was a help for the greatest of them, namely, the chronic lack of employment for the working man.

FOUR LOSE THEIR LIVES IN STORM

Bodies of Two Men and Girl Found in Hills Near Kamloops

Kamloops, Nov. 17.—The bodies of three unfortunates who were frozen to death in the hills during the storm of Wednesday, November 8, while attempting to reach their home south of this city, were brought here by Constables Godsley and McClintock. The dead brought in were John Keefer, his niece, May, aged 11 years, and James Tronson, Keefer's brother-in-law. The body of another niece, Lizzie, 14 years old, could not be found, though a search party braved the storm in a vain search. Snow lies from three to five feet deep near the scene of the tragedy and there is little hope of finding the girl's body before the snow melts.

The details of the tragedy will probably never be known, but from what can be learned the two men and the two little girls left Kamloops Wednesday afternoon on a front bob with a box.

The body of Jas. Tronson was found in the snow a few feet from the sled, about two feet of snow being above and two feet below him. Keefer was in the seat of the bob, and the child huddled in a heap in a position as though vainly trying to keep warm. The child was warmly clad and probably lived some hours longer than the men. From the position of Keefer's body it appeared as though his last conscious moment was spent in an effort to get out of the sleigh.

"Death by freezing" was practically the verdict of the coroner's jury which inquired into the cause of death of the men and girls.

REINDEER FOR YUKON.

Dawson, Y.T., Nov. 17.—A movement is on foot to introduce reindeer into Yukon territory for the benefit of the natives. The Canadian government has purchased some in Labrador and has sent them to Edmonton to be forwarded to the Mackenzie valley.

Bishop I. O. Stringer, of the Church of England, is in Ottawa working to get a number of the reindeer for this territory. The suggestion is advanced here that a supply for the Canadian Yukon can be brought from Alaska. The natives of northern Alaska are growing rich in reindeer herds.

The natives of the Canadian Yukon are much in need of occupation and often find it difficult to obtain enough game on which to subsist.

ACCUSED OF SMUGGLING.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 17.—Denny Gallagher, who was arrested Wednesday charged with opium smuggling, was arraigned yesterday and pleaded not guilty. He is said by customs officers to be the most successful importer of opium in America, and is as well known in San Francisco, Honolulu and Portland as in Seattle. Gallagher is 40 years old. In the hotel where he was arrested 24 tins of opium were found in his valise.

Forty-three Popes reigned during the building of St. Peter's Cathedral, Rome.

IDEAS OF A PLAIN MAN

BY DR. FRANK CRANE.

I speak as a religionist when I say that, as Church people, as people having at heart the moral betterment of the masses of men, the establishment of justice and humaneness in our customs and institutions, the abolition of iniquitous systems of vice, and the like, we do not appreciate what the modern scientist is doing for us. In the first place, he is making us honest. We have been so anxious to gain our good ends that very often we have not cared whether we were dealing with facts or not. No one can deny a vast deal of downright intellectual trickiness, not to say dishonesty, in ecclesiastical disputes of the past. Sometimes this closing of the mind to facts, and staring at certain statements has, ludicrously enough, been called Faith.

Again we are learning modesty from the scientist. We are getting, praise be! less and less inclined to blatant, dictatorial assertion.

The scientist, and particularly the psychologist, is also gradually establishing a real basis for our religious feeling, in the actual functions and laws of the human mind and heart. And he has had to do this over our ignorant protests. Authority, as such, the ipse dixit of any body or of any institution, can be the foundation of no intelligent man's action in the latter half of the Twentieth Century. Whether we will or no, we shall have to prove our case or quit. The patient, unafraid scientist, is putting into our hands the stones with which to build the spiritual house of our children.

Religion there will always be. It is the supreme expression of the human spirit.

The religion of the future will be one that shall have the homage and respect of the human mind.

REFORMERS NAMED AS MINISTERS

Several Members of Chinese Cabinet Sympathize With Revolutionists

Pekin, Nov. 17. — It is doubtful whether Premier Yuan Shi Kai's new cabinet, nominated in an imperial edict yesterday, will stand. One of the members expressed amazement at his appointment. It is believed that few of the new ministers have been consulted and that several will decline to serve.

The cabinet comprises curious appointments. Liang Chi Chiao, appointed vice-president of the board of justice, is the great Chinese reformer who was exiled by the late empress dowager at Yuan Shi Kai's suggestion. Chian Chien, appointed president of the board of agriculture, is a member of the new government of Kiang Su. He signed with Wu Ting Fang the demand for the throne's abdication, which the reformers sought to have delivered to the prince regent through the American legation. Several other members of the new cabinet seem to be strong sympathizers with the revolutionary movement. The organization of the cabinet was really an attempt to include in it representatives of all parties. The question arises whether Yuan Shi Kai was unable to foresee his inability to operate such a cabinet if it could be actually formed. Opinion is divided with respect to the object Yuan Shi Kai has in view. Some think he has lost his astuteness and intuition, while others think that he is playing a deep game. His real object may be to convince the throne that a capable cabinet cannot be formed, but he gives the impression to visitors, both Chinese and foreigners, that he is determined to defeat the rebels.

The foreign diplomatic representatives have under discussion the appointment of a committee to disburse the maritime customs, which are being received by the inspector-general, Francis A. Allen, for the payment of loans and indemnities. This seems to be the beginning of foreign interference in the financial affairs of China.

Reports reach here of the murder of a German in Shen Shi, and of a French priest in Szechuen province, but these are isolated instances of harming foreigners, who have been well protected considering the excited conditions of these provinces.

No attempt is being made to re-establish communication or the postal service in the western provinces.

Proposed Conference.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—The state department is awaiting developments before beginning the execution of its plans for participation by the United States army in the international patrol of the railway between Pekin and the sea. Officials yesterday regarded the accession to the premiership of Yuan Shi Kai and the initiation by him of a programme of conciliation as indicating the restoration of better conditions. The war department, however, is prepared for any action required of it.

Some reassuring advices received by the state department came through the Chinese legation here. For instance, it was stated that incidental to the assumption of the premiership by Yuan Shi Kai, an edict had been issued inviting the various provinces to select representatives to confer in Pekin at an early date, with a view to coming to an understanding as to the form of government to be adopted. An edict was issued naming three imperial commissioners, among them Chang Chien, a noted Chinese scholar, to visit the provinces to urge concerted action and the acceptance of the concessions adopted by the throne from among the 19 articles providing for a constitutional monarchy, which will be drafted by the northern army and adopted by the throne.

Some slight hope is entertained of maintaining the allegiance to the imperial government of Kwang Tung province from the dispatch of a telegram to the provincial authorities at Canton by three officials of that province residing at Pekin, urging the maintenance of peace and the acceptance of concessions offered by the throne.

NE TEMERE DECREE IS CONDEMNED

Letter From Archbishop of Canterbury Read at Meeting in London

London, Nov. 17.—A meeting was held here condemning the publication of the ne temere decree. Lord Kinnaird, lord high commissioner to the Church of Scotland from 1907 to 1909, said such a decree from an alien power which claimed universal right over many matters must be resisted.

J. H. M. Campbell, K.C., M.P., former attorney-general, said that not only was the decree felt, but it was becoming a grave scandal. In Canada where matters had become acute, Protestant Canadians have determined to stamp it out. There is a deliberate conspiracy to put this insolent and arrogant decree all over the world. Did any one imagine that Gladstone or Salisbury would have stood the decree five minutes?

The Archbishop of Canterbury wrote to the chairman of the meeting saying: "Any branch of the Church of Christ must clearly have the power to define conditions of its membership, but in my opinion it is much to be regretted that by the promulgation of the ne temere decree, and even more by the language which, it appears, has been some time used to secure obedience, the Roman church should introduce confusion in domestic life and give rise to unnecessary and disquieting doubts."

WOMAN SWINDLED.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 17.—The case of a credulous old lady paying $12 a month for eighteen years to "Professor" Torrance Duffy to secure immunity from death resulted not only in the secret of the professor's "elixir of life" being ruthlessly exposed in the police court, but a fine of $50 for the professor as well.

According to the city chemist, a sample from the "professor's" fountain of youth showed pure water touched up with a small amount of lime and salts. Its labelled claim to possess the "good of all good in its one goodness" failed to agree with the court's interpretation of the pure drug ordinance.

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FIGHT WITH TRAMPS

Sheriff Wounded While Trying to Make Arrest.

Vancouver, Wash., Nov. 17.—In a battle with tramps near the depot here, Sheriff Ira Crisap, of Clarke county was shot in the neck and painfully wounded.

The tramps are supposed to be of the same gang who are alleged to have been involved in the killing at Butler last Tuesday of W. H. Shores. The sheriff learned that the men were hiding near the depot here and that the deputy sheriff, George Barbeau, went to the place to make the arrest. A fight followed. Undaunted by his injuries, Sheriff Crisap and Barbeau pursued the men.

In the meantime a squad of seven policemen responded to calls for aid and a second battle took place at the Twenty-sixth street bridge. After a lively exchange of shots, one of the men, a man with the cap whom the posse was after, escaped, and retraced his way toward town.

A tramp who is alleged to have been the man who wounded Sheriff Crisap was captured near Yalama yesterday afternoon. He attempted to shoot the pursuing officers, but was overpowered and brought to this city. He refuses to give his name and nothing could be learned of his antecedents. A kit of burglar's tools and a revolver were found on his person.

Three tramps were brought here from Butler late Wednesday on suspicion of being implicated in the shooting of Shores.

DIED SUDDENLY.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 17.—Sarah McCoy, aged 23, until seven weeks ago resident of Duluth, Minn., was found dead in bed at her home in this city. A red spot on the right side of her face aroused some suspicions as to the manner of her death, but a post-mortem examination showed that the young woman died of natural causes.

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SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

After making liberal allowances for the fact that the new government has been in power only thirty-seven days and adding to this the remembrance that the government party was in the opposition for fifteen years, during which time its members were feculent with ideas of how the country should be governed, the speech which Premier Borden put into the hands of His Royal Highness the Governor-General to read yesterday was heard with disappointment. The only two bills announced with any ring of positiveness were those relating to the appointment of a permanent tariff commission and the adoption of measures to place terminal elevator facilities under the control of a commission. The commission idea is prominent in the undertakings of the new government, and he is moved to ask if the whole burden of responsible government is to be relegated to commissions. The creation of these new offices to relieve the ministers from the responsibilities for which portfolios obtain is one way in which the burdens of rule may be obviated and the ministers afforded impersonal semi-corporations under which to take refuge.

It must be regretted that with everything running smoothly when the new ministry took office and the affairs of the country in a prosperous condition more aggressive legislation is not indicated. The oblivious absence of any reference to a naval programme cannot inspire confidence, and we cannot escape the fear that the Nationalists have succeeded in having the naval question entirely shelved. It cannot be dealt with during the present session, and at least another year must elapse before any steps can be taken to advance a policy which had been brought to such an advanced stage by the retired government.

Locally this must be a great disappointment. The Conservative press in British Columbia for months before the elections hammered the Liberal government with abuse because of its neglect to protect the Pacific seaboard. The pictures of possible attacking and marauding hosts from the Orient were frightful, and the nightmares which must have been suffered by the originators of these attacks must have been horrible.

Mr. G. H. Barnard, too, will have now to put away in cold storage the voluminous "facts and figures" which he took so much pains to collect, tabulate and fortify himself with in anticipation of an attack upon the late government. These must now be wrapped in absorbent cotton plentifully sterilized with moth balls to prevent the arguments upon which his genius was expended from growing mouldy, flea-bitten and out of date.

It is a pity, too, that Premier Borden should lose his temper when his attention was mildly called to the fact that the selection of the Speaker was not in accordance with the best British practice, and the gentle reference by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to the opinions of Dr. Sproule held by the press of the party over which he now presides in the House must have been gall and wormwood for both the premier and Speaker, but it was an exhibition of weakness and bluff for Mr. Borden to immediately challenge a division. Evidently that will be Mr. Borden's answer to all the reasonable criticisms of the opposition, no matter how gently they may be administered. The opposition is to be bullied by challenges to divide the House, and that will be the reply to all argument. Nothing will more deeply disappoint the whole Dominion than Mr. Borden turning bully after such an accidental triumph at the polls.

THE BOWSER RAINBOW.

The tongue of Hon. W. J. Bowser appears to be as facile of utterance in total disregard of truth away from home as on the political stump in his adopted province. He is apparently successful in supplying the foundations for lying superstructures reared in the editorial articles of the journals of his party which are more intent upon discrediting the two training ships in Canadian commission than in stiffening up the spine of Premier Borden in his fear of the Quebec Nationalists. Witness this ebullition in the editorials of the Montreal Star:

"Yesterday at Ottawa the Hon. W. J. Bowser sketched in roughly what has been missing in the picture of the Canadian navy as it is to-day. The Niobe we knew about. She has been boarded up so as to be almost watertight and can be used for quiet games and such simple exercises as learning technical names and how to go from one part of the warship to another, provided the weather is fine and the classes walk carefully. Concerning the Rainbow, away off on the misty Pacific, there has been more ignorance and more hope. Desertions from her, we were given to understand, were still keeping a little ahead of recruiting and there was very little braving of the billows of the Pacific or introducing the Canadian flag to the general ocean shipping, but at any rate, she had not got into any serious trouble, was still intact, and was available for whatever use she could theoretically be put to in case of emergencies.

"Mr. Bowser, in a few brief but telling words, gives form to these hazy impressions. The Rainbow, he says, does noting but fire at targets all day, and the targets are not fishing pirates. Much the same drill is—or used to be—very popular in the Chinese navy. Making a noise, it was argued, kept up the spirits of the men and might frighten away possible enemies. There is no better way of pacifying the discontented members of the crew of a man-of-war than to give them a six-inch gun and all the ammunition they need to play with. If that does not check desertion, nothing can, and unless you can check desertion, what is the use of having a navy."

This the sort of legalized slander fostered and encouraged by the attorney-general of British Columbia when he is away from home and in every sentence it exhibits the ready-to-wear character of the Napoleon of the provincial government. It is quite useless to controvert these lies. Newspapers which do not know Mr. Bowser as well as he is known in British Columbia will not publish any denial of his perversions of truth, and from end to end of Canada the Tory press will give currency to his fabrications.

In the meantime the local organ of the government makes the nauseating confession that it does not know what the policy of the government on the naval question will be. Neither does anyone, not even Mr. Borden. If one should ask what the naval policy of Canada is not to be there is not a Nationalist member in parliament who could not give one dozen prompt and emphatic answers to the question.

In the absence of a navy policy for his Ottawa chief Mr. Bowser contents himself with uttering lies about The Rainbow in the hope that the people of Canada will come to forget about a navy. It is no wonder that truth loving Conservatives in British Columbia despise and hate Mr. Bowser.

NATIONALIST AGGRESSION.

Whatever opportunism may have prevailed in the minds of the members of the new government as to the propriety of capitulating to the Nationalists of Quebec in order to win a victory at the polls, there was evidently no insincerity or opportunism in the minds of the Nationalist leaders. Hon. Frank Cochrane is yielding to the pressure of his colleagues and allowing them a wide swath to mow in the Ontario elections. Not only have the Nationalists four members in the new cabinet, but their dominance extends far outside their portfolio responsibilities, and they are already letting the new government know what is the price they intend to exact for their betrayal of Laurier.

Hon. Frank Cochrane has called down the wrath of the Toronto Telegram by inviting Hon. L. P. Pelletier to dictate his policy. The Telegram says:

"Hon. Frank Cochrane does not think Ontario's thoughts, share Ontario's impulses, or cherish Ontario's convictions. Mr. Cochrane is one of a conquered people, a true son of a timid minority, a Quebec-born opportunist who cannot realize that any principle on earth is worth standing up for in the face of French-Canadian hostility. 'Bigots and trouble-makers' would be Hon. Frank Cochrane's name for the Canadians who resent the tactics that invited Bourassa to Sudbury, and who still more deeply resent Hon. L. P. Pelletier's reported rejoicing in his speech at North Bay, in the progress of Northern Ontario, 'which he characterized as a new province building up within Ontario.'

"The thoughts of Hon. L. P. Pelletier were unhappily phrased in view of the Nationalist dream that Northern Ontario is to become a New Quebec, building up within the borders of Ontario. Hon. Frank Cochrane shaped the development of New Ontario for six and a half years. The Cochrane policy showed no respect for the progressive Anglo-Saxon ideal. That ideal cannot be fulfilled in the slow emerging of Northern Ontario out of the wilderness into a series of French-Canadian hamlets."

Perhaps before the Orangemen awake to the significance of Mr. Borden's victory they will discover which is really the business end of the Nationalist party.

Three elections have shown us that, in appealing to the people, Mr. Balfour is no match for Mr. Lloyd-George, says the Montreal Star. It was generally agreed that Chamberlain had the Liberals beaten with his potent policy of the preference; but the baton fell from his slack hands and Lloyd George created out of nothing—as it were—the policy which baffled the Tariff Reformers and seems almost to have reduced them to impotence. His budget was a master-stroke of daring and strategy; and the failure of the Balfour leadership to meet it with a vigorous counter-policy of progress has permitted it to literally sweep the field.

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Mr. D. S. Tait in a letter to the Colonist this morning says in criticism of the position of the Times: "In the third editorial the Times says that it was a statement and condition of Mr. McBride's settlement with the Ottawa government that the area in question should be deeded to the city of Victoria." The Times never stated any such thing. What we have said and what Mr. Tait cannot deny is that in the settlement between the province and the Dominion Mr. McBride made it clear to the federal authorities that forty-three acres and a corresponding waterfront had already been ceded to the city of Victoria by order-in-council. It must be evident to the ratepayers that there is a screw loose somewhere.

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Hum Quom, the Ottawa Chinese merchant, who was elected to represent his countrymen throughout Canada in the Imperial Parliament of China, said in an interview that if the demands of the revolutionists are met and the needed reforms put through it will greatly decrease Chinese emigration to all foreign countries, for the reason that the homeland will be a satisfactory place to live in. "We have been trying to secure these reforms for a long time," said Hum Quom. "The Chinese Reform Association, however, does not wish to overthrow the government so much as to obtain its demands. The greater number of Chinese in Canada are in favor of the revolution, though few are taking any active part in its support. There are fully 30,000 Chinese in Canada, the majority of them adherents of the Reform movement.

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Now a point is this: If the Conservative members were right in contending that they had presented facts enough to warrant action by the Laurier government, are the facts not sufficient to warrant immediate action by the Borden government? Premier Borden possesses the identical power held by Sir Wilfrid for so many years. No legislative action is required. Mr. Borden can smash the cement combine to-morrow if it is his desire to do so. All this beautiful, smoothly-worded generalization on the tariff, and the stability thereof, isn't worth a—well, a snap of the finger. Canadians are not a lot of babies. Those who desire to be fooled, will be fooled, but there are thinking, independent men in every community who demand that the Borden government should show consistency where (they alleged) the Laurier government displayed inconsistency.—Winnipeg Tribune.

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If any evidence of breach of faith on the part of the government in the matter of the Songhees park other than that already before the ratepayers is needed, it is found in the columns of the morning paper. The Colonist, which says it is not authorized to speak for Mr. McBride, assures the ratepayers that Mr. McBride may accept less than $80,000 for the plot when he decides what is to be done with the entire reserve. If Mr. McBride's position upon this question cannot be decided until Mr. McBride is ready there is no need for the ratepayers to pass a by-law fixing the value of a property which it already owns. The Colonist subterfuge about Mr. McBride's inability to give Victoria a piece of this land because it would be unjust to the province at large, is not politics; it is discreditable piffle. When the morning paper begins to take a paternal interest in $80,000 of the people's money it is a good time for the ratepayers to back up.

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This lot includes a large number of broken lines, and in order to make a clearance we have made a reduction that should please the most expectant. All these suits are absolutely reliable and tailored in the latest styles, while the materials are fancy worsteds and tweeds, in a variety of patterns and colors. There are greens, browns and Bannockburn mixtures to choose from, and the sizes range from 32 to 44. Regular values $12.50 and $15.00. All to be sold on Saturday at **$9.75**

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BOYS' HOSE—Made of strong worsted, and have double heel and toes. Per pair, 50c, 45c and ..... **40¢**

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MEN'S GOODYEAR WELTED BOOTS, made in all the latest styles and from selected box calf, velour calf and patent leather, are well finished and represent remarkable value at, per pair **$3.50**

MEN'S FELT SLIPPERS—These are strongly made and are ideal footwear for the home. Prices start at, per pair **35¢**

WOMEN'S WATERPROOF BOOTS—These are made of strong calfskin, are leather lined and have strong double soles with Goodyear welts. They come in black or tan and in all sizes at, per pair **$3.50**

WOMEN'S FELT SLIPPERS—These come in all sizes and are a warm and comfortable slipper for house wear. Prices start at, per pair ..... **25¢**

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BOYS' WOOL MIXTURE SWEATERS—These are made with the idea of giving the longest possible service to the wearer. They come in the pull-over-the-head style, with high roll collar, in colors navy with a red striped collar, cardinal with white and grey with blue. These come in sizes to fit boys from 5 to 11 years old. Special for Friday's selling... **50¢**

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MEN'S SWEATERS, made in the pull-over-the-head style, with high roll collars. Are heavy weight, and may be had in all sizes, in colors grey, blue, red and brown. Special value at, each **$2.75**

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W. C. T. U. Mission.—The usual Saturday evening concert will be given by Y. M. C. A. Orchestral Society tomorrow.

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Psychic Research Society.—The Ladies of the Psychic Research Society will hold their annual sale of work on Wednesday, November 29 from three to ten p. m. in the A. O. F. Hall, Broad street. The ladies have been very busy for the past few months and have a number of useful and fancy articles for sale.

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Athletic Club Dance.—Arrangements are now under way to make this the Capital Athletic Club dance, one of the best held this season. The boys who have charge of the affair are working hard to make it a success and there is no doubt it will be. Willie's orchestra has been engaged for that evening and will introduce the latest and newest music. Some invitations have already been sent out and a large number of tickets have been sold. Tickets can be obtained from any of the following: N. Crogan, R. Bray, J. Jones, E. Irvine, G. Brooks, T. Pullin, A. Pike, F. Brynjolfsen and G. White.

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Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria daily at 2.15 p. m., except Sunday, arriving at Vancouver at 6.45 p. m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria at 11.45 p. m. daily, arriving Vancouver at 7 a. m.

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Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver daily, except Tuesday, at 10 a. m., arriving Victoria at 2.30 p. m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily, arriving Victoria at 6 p. m.

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Princess Victoria leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 4.30 p.m., arriving Seattle at 10 p. m.; Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 9 a. m., arriving at Victoria 1.15 p. m. On the lay-over day the steamer Iroquois, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.

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Religious Address.—The Rev. F. J. Thompson, of Nanaimo, will deliver a lecture entitled "The Man of Heather," on Tuesday evening, in the Centennial Methodist church at 8 o'clock.

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Ladies' Aid Sale.—The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church are busy getting ready for their sale of work to be held in the church hall on November 29th.

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Knox Church Meeting.—The meeting of the Knox Church Young People's Society was a grand success. The committee in charge of the entertainment for the evening presented an excellent Scotch programme. The Bonnie Scotch Lads and Lassies rendered their selections in a very adequate maner.

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Miss Forsyth to Speak.—Miss Jessie Forsyth, a worker in the cause of temperance, especially among children, is visiting this city, on her way to Australia. A joint committee of the W. C. T. U. and the I. O. G. T. has arranged for a public meeting to be held in the assembly hall of the Y. M. C. A. on the evening of Monday, November 27. Miss Forsyth will also address meetings in Vancouver the following day, prior to her departure for Australia on the 29.

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Burnside Mission. The sale of work under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Burnside Mission on Wednesday proved very successful. The stallholders were reported busy throughout the afternoon. One stall sold out and another had only a few articles left. An excellent supper was patronized by a large number. The concert which followed though brief was of excellent quality. Each piece was well rendered and evoked hearty applause. The following took part: Mrs. Sharpe, Miss Griffiths, Messrs. Pomfelt, Dawson and Marion and Rev. H. P. Thorpe. The songs of Miss Griffiths and Mr. Pomfelt were well selected and excellently rendered. At the close coffee and cake were served, and a social hour spent. The sale realized a splendid sum. The Ladies' Aid thank all who assisted towards its success.

ON HUNTING EXPEDITION.

Visitor Will Shoot Wapiti on Vancouver Island—The McGill Daily.

An inquiry as to the chance to shoot wapiti on Vancouver Island comes to the offices of the Vancouver Island Development League from C. F. Ryder, a resident at Pine Lake, Alberta, who will be visiting the Coast at an early date to engage in some big game shooting in British Columbia.

R. Rowe Holland, who is writing a series of articles on the historical and commercial record of Western Canadian cities for the McGill Daily, a paper published in connection with McGill University, Montreal, has informed the secretary that he has received the information supplied by the league, and will send a copy of the article when it is published.

A man of many attainments writes to the league from Little Sark, one of the Channel Islands, and wants information as to the possibility of succeeding in farming here. He is a practical farmer of many years' standing, "willing to unlearn and learn again," and has been carpenter, lecturer in continuation schools, and veterinary in the course of his career. Such a man is a very desirable settler, and due encouragement will be given him.

The mail includes a number of letters from settlers on the prairies, who all complain of the climate, and seek a district where the atmospheric conditions are not so changeable as in parts of the prairie provinces.

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Planks on Crossings.—The city is placing wooden planks at some of the worst crossings on Victoria's unpaved streets, much to the satisfaction of the public, whose patience was rapidly becoming exhausted.

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Benefit Concert.—The benefit entertainment to be given for the family of the late Seaman Munday, of H. M. C. S. Rainbow by the men of the ship in Masonic hall, Esquimalt, on Tuesday, promises to be of unusually enjoyable character. A capital programme has been prepared, the fact that sailormen are making the arrangements being a guarantee of excellence. In addition to the numerous features already provided for, the Petch quartette will contribute numbers, and vocal selections will be given by J. G. Brown and Robt. Morrison.

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A Narrow Escape.—An accident occurred at the intersection of Catherine and Wilson streets, Victoria West, on Wednesday afternoon, in which a fatality was narrowly averted. A delivery rig belonging to the firm of Smith & Champion was crossing the car track at the point defined when it was struck by a town-bound car. The rig and the driver was carried a considerable distance along the track, the former having a miraculous escape, although he sustained a few bruises. The rig was badly smashed, while the luckless animal received injuries which will incapacitate it from service for a time. The position of the rig when struck indicates that a fraction of a second intervened between that driver and eternity.

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G. T. P. OFFICIALS VISITING VICTORIA

RUSH PRAIRIE GRAIN FOR QUICK REMOVAL

Law Suit Against Transfer Company Brought Secretary and Solicitor West

Three Grand Trunk Pacific Railway officials, Henry Phillips, secretary of the G. T. P. and subsidiary companies; W. P. Hinton, passenger agent for rail and steam lines; and D'Arcy Tait, solicitor, arrived in Victoria yesterday afternoon on the Princess Victoria from Vancouver. Mr. Phillips will remain here until Monday, when he goes north to Prince Rupert on the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert, and Mr. Hinton will be with the party for a few days before proceeding to inspect the company's offices at Seattle.

Referring to passenger matters, Mr. Hinton remarked yesterday that passenger agents throughout the G. T. P. system were busy this time of the year and were likely to be kept much busier, especially in regard to the influx of people from the other side of the Atlantic. The company, he estimates, will carry over its lines westward from Montreal next year a number greatly in excess of the travel total of the present year, and the G. T. P. is now preparing to take care of the additional influx.

The greater part of the Canadian grain crop this year, said Mr. Hinton, was of low grade because of the bad weather and cold coming fast at the time the grain was ripening. Consequently there was a terrific rush for shipment to move the low grade grain quickly and to make it of any use in the market.

Those farmers who escaped the adverse weather conditions and had crops of first-class quality naturally wanted to get their grain through to the market, and there was a general demand for transportation. Both railway systems, he said, were meeting the demand, although the fact that the early grain was held back from ripening until September by the cold and was now coming in in heavy quantities. He did not anticipate any difficulty in the quick moving of the prairie crops in spite of the rush as the G. T. P. was well prepared.

Mr. Hinton is in the West on his inspection trip, while Mr. Phillips came out in a semi-official capacity, the business end of his visit being the action in the courts at Vancouver, where the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company was plaintiff in an action to restrain the G. T. P. Transfer Company of Victoria and Vancouver from using a similar trade name. The action was tried in Vancouver Wednesday and a verdict given for the railway company.

Mr. Phillips said yesterday in connection with the law suit that there were a number of companies using the G. T. P. title in conjunction with their business, and the railway company had taken the action against the transfer company for the purpose of protecting its rights.

Referring to the hotel building plans of the company of which he is secretary, Mr. Phillips said the hotel at Prince Rupert was being constructed to prepare for the terminal travel when the G. T. P. line was through and trains are running. There will, he said, have to be accommodation for passengers getting off the trains and that was the reason the hotel at the terminal was constructed before the one planned for Victoria.

Mr. Phillips and Mr. Hinton were met at the boat by W. E. Duperow, city passenger agent at Victoria, and J. A. Hinton, of the Hinton Electrical Company, who is a brother of the G. T. P. official.

GOVERNMENT TAX SALE.

Some Small Pieces of Land Sold Adjacent to Victoria.

There was a sale of land for unpaid provincial taxes yesterday in the maple room at the parliament buildings, the provincial assessor, E. E. Leeson, being the auctioneer. There were seven small pieces of land in the Esquimalt district and five in the Malahat district. For the whole the sum of $2,895 was realized after brisk bidding. The purchasers were Jennings Brothers, A. W. Jones, Thornton Fell, A. B. Ellis, C. E. Dunaway, C. Schultz, William Wilby, George Jones and E. A. Lewis.

According to law, the owners who have lost their land through their neglect in not paying the taxes due upon it will have two years within which to redeem it from the new owners if they so desire. To secure possession of it again they must pay all charges and reimburse the purchasers at yesterday's sale for their expenditure, with twelve per cent. interest.

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ENGINEER'S OFFICE WILL BE REFORMED

Radical Changes in Formation of Offices Will Take Effect on Monday

At the beginning of next week the reorganizing of the city engineering department will commence, and thereafter the transformation is anticipated as being so complete no one will recognize it for the same place. Everything is in readiness now for the change; evolutions have been planned and developed whereby the department will assume more of a business aspect and less of a rendezvous than it has ever enjoyed in the past, and all that remains to be done is to carry them out. On Monday City Engineer Smith will vacate his present quarters in the large office and recede to the small front room at present occupied by his stenographic staff, which staff, accompanied by the clerical department, will take over the office vacated by Mr. Smith. A counter will be introduced in the new public office, which will serve the double purpose of expressing business sentiments and preserving the head of the department from the worries of unnecessary visitors.

While these changes will be carried out under the instructions of W. T. Stutchbury, the chief clerk, who went into office this week, it is only fair to Mr. Smith to state that it was his intention to execute them himself; and that, as a matter of fact, the particular reorganization mentioned was a plank in his platform for the appointment of Mr. Stutchbury. At the present time the stenographers' room is divided from the "lobbying" room by a partition, and it is proposed to utilize this deviser in the large public office as a screen for the typists. Already something in the nature of a system has been inaugurated for dealing with complaints, of which there is naturally an epidemic at the present time. In outlining the changes which are proposed in the office formation, Mr. Stutchbury quietly intimated that while it was, perhaps, impossible to work a revolution in a day the revolution would be worked nevertheless.

Y. W. C. A. SOCIAL.

Enjoyable Event Was Held Last Evening—Good Programme.

Last night's musicale at the Y. W. C. A. proved the most successful of the series of literary and musical evenings being held by the young women. Miss Bromley-Jubb, whose efforts in these lies are well known, secured for the evening programme the Young Women's Club of the Metropolitan Methodist church, and aside from the pleasing musical programme they provided, the two bodies of young women were brought together in a delightful social way.

Upon opening the meeting Miss Bromley-Jubb announced that the Alexandra ball-room would hereafter be at their disposal for musical and literary evenings when it was not otherwise engaged. Miss Luney was heard in the song, "Forgotten," which she sang in a most acceptable manner. Little Miss Gladys Steinmetz kept the audience in laughter with her interpretation of "Biff Perkins." Miss Hasty gave a pianoforte number, Miss Ede sang "Queen of the Earth," and the programme was concluded with a vocal selection by Mrs. Foxall. Mrs. Foxall, who is the president of the Young Women's Club of the Metropolitan church, announced that a mock trial is to be held the second week in December at the church. A delightful social evening followed the music.

MISSIONARY SERVICE.

To Be Held in First Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

A missionary service will be the character of that of next Sunday evening at First Presbyterian church. Laymen will be in charge, and the choir will render appropriate music. Mr. J. McLorie, who is just returned from a business trip to China and Japan, will give a racy description of what he saw, and his impressions of the revolution going on there just now. Mr. McLorie is a man of fine spirit and an excellent speaker. Mr. Hattie, who is a recent graduate in science at McGill, obtaining B.Sc. last spring, will also give an address. Mr. Hattie is a native of Nova Scitia, a promising young man. He is not a theologian in the ordinary sense, but an artizan mechanic. He was appointed to the staff in Honan by the Foreign Mission committee of the Presbyterian church as a construction engineer. He came across the continent and took passage on the Sado Maru at Seattle ten days ago, bound for Honan. But owing to the serious trouble there just now a message was sent Rev. Dr. Campbell to intercept him on the arrival here of the boat, which he did. Mr. Hattie will resume his voyage as soon as matters are quieted down in the East. He will no doubt give an interesting and inspiring address next Sunday evening, especially so for young people. A cordial welcome will be given to all who may wish to hear the laymen setting forth their views at First Presbyterian church.

"THE COUNTRY BOY."

Excellent Performance at Victoria Theatre Repeated To-Night.

Those who saw Edgar Selwyn's play, "The Country Boy," at the Victoria theatre last night thoroughly enjoyed it. The play is a well-drawn one, being a succession of incidents from the lives of very human people. In other words to use a phrase now in the editorial index expurgatorius, it is a "human interest" play. The plot is incidental. It is nothing more than the story of a country boy's excursion to New York in search of a career for which he leaves the rural atmosphere, his experience in the big metropolis, his failure and his return to the country. The playwright has worked out this little theme with a very deft hand, the product of his intimate knowledge of life and its ways.

The company presenting this enjoyable production is an excellent one, and it might almost be said that it is starless. Frank McCormack was a capital newspaperman and refrained from making the stage reporter into an individual for whom the real article on the other side of the footlights has a feeling of profound contempt as most players do. For this Mr. McCormack deserves a unanimous vote of thanks from the press. Alfred Cooper did the country boy, whose experiences form the pivotal point of the play, and gave a generally adequate portrayal. Of the ladies, Elda Furry was a very pleasing Jane Belknap. There was a fair house, but not as large as the performance deserved.

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James Bay Methodist Sale.—The Ladies' Aid of James Bay Methodist church will hold their annual sale of work, at the residence of Mrs. C. Spencer, Government street, on Wednesday, November 29th, from 3 to 10 p. m. A large assortment of fancy and useful articles, suitable for Christmas gifts, will be on sale, together with children's underwear and aprons, also ladies' kitchen aprons, dressing sacques, etc. There will also be a home-made candy and cooking stall. Another attraction will be the "doll booth" and "toy counter." Afternoon tea and 6 o'clock lunch will be served. A splendid musical programme will be rendered both afternoon and evening. The following have kindly consented to take part: The Misses Griffiths, Dilworth and Spencer, Mrs. Scales and Mr. Dilworth.

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NEWS OF SPORT

ONE SENIOR MATCH FOR SOCCER TEAMS

Garrison Meets Foresters at Royal Park: Two Second Division, One Junior Matches

Delegates of clubs affiliated with the Victoria and District Association football league met last night and arranged the games for to-morrow afternoon. There is one senior game only, two second division games and one junior game.

The Foresters team will meet the Garrison eleven at the Royal Athletic park at 2:30 when Referee W. Pierson will be in charge having been appointed to take charge of the match by the executive last night.

The teams will be as follows:

Garrison—Goal, Beaney; fullbacks, Elton (capt.), Jones; halves, Vincent, Wylie, Brown; forwards, Ward, Greatorex, Gale; Stevens, Buxton.

A. O. F.—To be chosen from Rodgers, Saul, Cunningham, Welsh, Malcolm, Young, Slater, King, Patterson, Stewart, Spence, Inglis, Davies, Hugh.

At North Ward park in the second division the Victoria West team will meet North Ward, O. Hartley refereeing the game, and Oak Bay and James Bay are scheduled to play at Beacon Hill. There was no referee available last night and the matter was left over until to-day, when the captains of the two contending teams will agree on the official.

Victoria West and North Ward juniors are to meet on the Macauley Point ground. In connection with the junior league, the executive received an application from the boys of the H. M. C. S. Rainbow for admission to the league. The application came in too late and the schedule could not be altered as it has been played in part.

The Rainbow boys, however, will be told that they can secure one game each Saturday with the junior league that is not engaged with the league matches, and a committee, consisting of players Dakers, Houston and Smith, was appointed to see the physical director of the Rainbow in regard to the matches.

Transfers were applied for by Miller of the Garrison and Mackenzie of the High School. No transfers were made last night, but will be taken up later.

Teams not engaged in league matches have arranged games for to-morrow and the Sons of England team will play an eleven from the H.M.C.S. Rainbow at the Canteen grounds Esquimalt.

The J. B. A. A. team will play a practice match at Oak Bay where their opponents will be a team from the Collegiate school. The match will commence at 2:30 and the following J. B. A. A. players are requested by Lorimer to be present: Lefevre, Lorimer, Sheriff, Mitchell, Ismay, Gerrard, Manser, Allen, Mathews, Rothwell, Beach, Baldon, Muir, Morrison and Shanks.

The James Bay Athletic association team to play at Beacon hill to-morrow is as follows:

Goal, O. Falconer; fullbacks, J. Greig, H. Heath; halves, O'Rourke, Dilger, Skuce; forwards, Thomas, McTeat; Middleton; Raich, Toddy.

The Victoria West second division team for to-morrow is composed of:

Goal.—Luckett; fullbacks, Stewart, Ross; halves, Davis, G. Brown, Sedger; forwards, Youson, R. Stewart, Youson, Young, Brown. Spare: Erickson.

HIGH SCHOOL AND LAW STUDENTS PLAY

Teams to Meet in Rugby Match at the Oak Bay Grounds To-morrow Afternoon

A Rugby game that will be popular to-morrow is that to be played at Oak Bay between the High School and Law Students fifteens. There is a double object in the match, the first being the game itself, and the second being to acquire funds for sending the teams over to Vancouver later in the season.

Both teams will later play in Vancouver. The High school in the annual school series for the Thompson cup and the legal youths against the law students of the Terminal city.

The High School to-morrow will play a five-eighths man, leaving seven forwards, but the students intend putting out the regular line-up. The teams are as follows:

Law Students — Fullback, Tait; three-quarters, Gallaher, C. Martin, Stewart and Ogden; halfbacks, Shires and Talbot; forwards, Norris Milligan, Monteith, Ambery, Fletcher, White, Finland and Wootton. Reserves, Colvin and Hanna.

High School — Fullback, Edward Steele; three-quarters, Ross Dickson, Newitt, Touhy (captain); halfbacks, Clark and Warnicker; five-eighths, Paul; forwards, Ross Sprinkling, Campbell, Gerow, Goodwin, McCallum and Carter.

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SOCCER TEAM PLAYS CUMBERLAND SUNDAY

Manager Thompson Says the Team and League is Independent of Con Jones

The Victoria professional soccer team will play at Cumberland on Sunday afternoon in a B. C. league match, unless the secretary of the Cumberland team wires to-night that the grounds are unfit for play.

Victoria has made all arrangements to go to the northern town and will leave on the afternoon train to-morrow and will reach Cumberland on Sunday morning.

The team selected is composed of the following players: Goal, Dougan; fullbacks, Millar and Newlands; halfbacks, Newman, Scott Hurley and Wilson; forwards, Muir, Wilkie, Thomas, Pickering and Whittaker; trainer, Dufty.

Speaking yesterday in regard to the proposed league, Promoter Jones, of Vancouver, said he would institute it after Christmas when the Vancouver amateurs were through their series. Manager Thompson, of the Victoria Professional Club, said the Victoria team would not stand for any interference but would play out the schedule as originally arranged and hold the points won from Cumberland to the Victoria total, despite what Jones proposes or may wish to do.

"If Vancouver does not want to come in, they can stay out," says Thompson, "but they are not going to interfere with us, Cumberland and Nanaimo."

A VICTORIA HOCKEY EXPERT
Bobby Rowe, Formerly Captain of Renfrew Team, Who Will Play With the Local Aggregation.

SPORT NOTES

Packey McFarland left Chicago yesterday for the Pacific coast to begin training for his fight on Thanksgiving Day with Harlem Tommy Murphy at San Fransisco.

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Abe Attell, featherweight champion of the world, easily defeated Young Cohen, who came from England with a reputation of being almost as shifty and clever as Jim Driscoll, last night. Attell gave the Englishman a terrific beating, but Cohen took all the champion could give and came back for more. In the fourth round Attell shook Cohen up with a hard jolt to the jaw, but was unable to land a knockout.

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Details of a deal between President Cohen and the Spokane Traction Co. make it known that Cohen is now the sole owner of the Spokane baseball club. President Cohen says he had assumed control of the franchise, park and baseball rights of the corporation. He announces improvements in the playing field and stands before the season opens, embracing the moving of the home plate; removal of nearly half the screens that obscure the view of people in the stands; removal of alternate posts in the stands, and sodding the infield for a grass diamond.

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Joe Seaton, pitcher, will play with the Vancouver ball team next season. Bob Brown has taken him in a trade with Dugdale, who gets Roy Willett. The trade was made at San Antonio, where the National Association is in session.

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Next season winds up Ty Cobb's three-year contract with the Detroit club, which called for $27,000. Cobb can practically demand his own salary and should he sign with the Tigers again for three years the ball statisticians figure that he can demand without chance of refusal $50,000 for his signature and work.

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There have been frequent complaints regarding the lax management of amateur affairs back in Toronto, particularly in regard to the Mann cup. Another example which interests British Columbia is that a man named Tracey entered the recent amateur boxing competition at Toronto and knocked out three and got a decision over a fourth. He was beaten in the final. He was Pete Muldoon, whose real name is Tracey, trainer for the Vancouver lacrosse club. The Vancouver amateurs are asking how he got the amateur card on which his entry was admitted.

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There is an Australian band of musicians touring the coast. They will be in Portland December 1st, where a soccer game has been arranged between the band team and a team of the Portland soccer union. There are forty men in the band, and many good soccer players.

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The salary limits of every league except the majors will be cut to the quick next season, if a movement started at the convention of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, by Wilbur P. Allen, president of the Texas League, bears fruit. The Texan's plan is for a central board to fix a salary limit for every league of a certain classification. To fix penalties for the violation of such limit, taking the power of fixing salaries away from the individual leagues. The existence of some leagues depends upon the adoption of such a rule, it is contended.

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Announcement was made at San Antonio yesterday of the sale of Pitcher Rasmussen of the Vancouver club, to the Sioux City, Ia., club, of the Western league.

EASTERN LEAGUE SITUATION.

Montreal, Nov. 17.—When the train pulled out of the Bonaventure station last night it had aboard Charlie Querrie of the Tecumseh lacrosse club, and W. Findlay of the M. A. A., both bound for Toronto. Querrie was returning from a meeting of the organizers of the proposed new four-club lacrosse league, at which he represented both Toronto and Tecumseh. Findlay was on his way to interview Lol Solman, Jimmy Murphy and Fred Thompson, so as to be all prepared for the threatened lacrosse war.

Findlay received a telegram from Solman the other day saying among other things that he would "stick by the old crew," and he is anxious to know just what the former Tecumseh magnate has up his sleeve, as it was understood that he had severed connection with the Tecumsehs. Querrie, Doctor Cousineau and George Kennedy were present at the meeting of the new league backers yesterday afternoon and a formal offer of a franchise was made to Kennedy. He stated that he could not accept at once as it was necessary to discuss matters with the directors of the Canadian Athletic Club. He will give his answer at another meeting on Saturday. Personally he favors the entrance of Les Canadiens into lacrosse, and thinks it would be a matter of no great difficulty to find players to make up the fourth town in the league.

HOCKEY TEAM WILL PLAY MAINLANDERS

Victoria Eleven Selected Last Night for Match With British Isles Players

The first match this season in the British Columbia hockey league will be played on the mainland to-morrow afternoon, when the Victoria club team will play against the British Isles eleven, an aggregation of Vancouver players.

The Victoria team was selected last night and the team will leave on the boat to-night. The result of the game depends on the amount of opportunity the mainland players have had to get into condition. The opportunity owing to the weather in Victoria has been limited, but the men named on the team comprise a very strong complement of players, and they believe they will be able to more than hold their own in their first match.

The team selected is composed of: Goal, Lort; full backs, Arnold and Craddock; half backs, Gillespie, Lee and McArthur; forwards, White, T. Winsby, S. Winsby, McKenzie and McInnis.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED BY BOY.

Tacoma, Nov. 17.—George Smith, aged 12, innocently shooting at a target, shot and almost instantly killed Antone Draka. This is the solution of the Eatonville "death mystery," made public yesterday by Sheriff Robert Longmire and Coroner George D. Shaver.

Draka, a mill hand, was found dying with a bullet hole in his chest, in an outhouse near the Eatonville lumber mill Wednesday afternoon. Yesterday the sheriff and the coroner, after a thorough investibation, reached the conclusion that the tragedy was caused by a bullet from a 22-calibre rifle of special make, fired by the Smith boy in the woods near his home. A post-mortem examination of Draka's body confirmed this conclusion. A bullet of the size and peculiar mould of those discharged from the Smith boy's rifle was found in the dead man's lungs.

AEROPLANE DAMAGED.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 17.—When Aviator Fowler attempted to resume his coast-to-coast flight here to-day, his machine collided with the branches of a tree. The aviator was not hurt, but the machine was damaged. Fowler postponed his flight for repairs.

Land birds, says a naturalist, make their journeys in the daytime, water birds at night.

Many a man's self-conceit overshadows his popularity.

BAR ATTENDANTS AND DRUGS AT OLYMPIC

Run Against Sun, Penalty for False Starts—Non-Collapsable Hurdles at Stockholm

New York, Nov. 17.—The complete code of rules of the Olympic games at Stockholm next summer has been received here. To prevent a repetition of the Doronda fiasco of the London games, no attendant will be permitted with a competitor in the arena during a race. The rule says that any athlete using drugs will be disqualified. The rule in regard to starting is the same as the American rule except that it calls forth a penalty for false starts.

Differing from other Olympic games, the running will be against the sun, as in this country. In the hurdles, the obstacles will not be collapsible as in this country, but will be fixed fast to upright supports.

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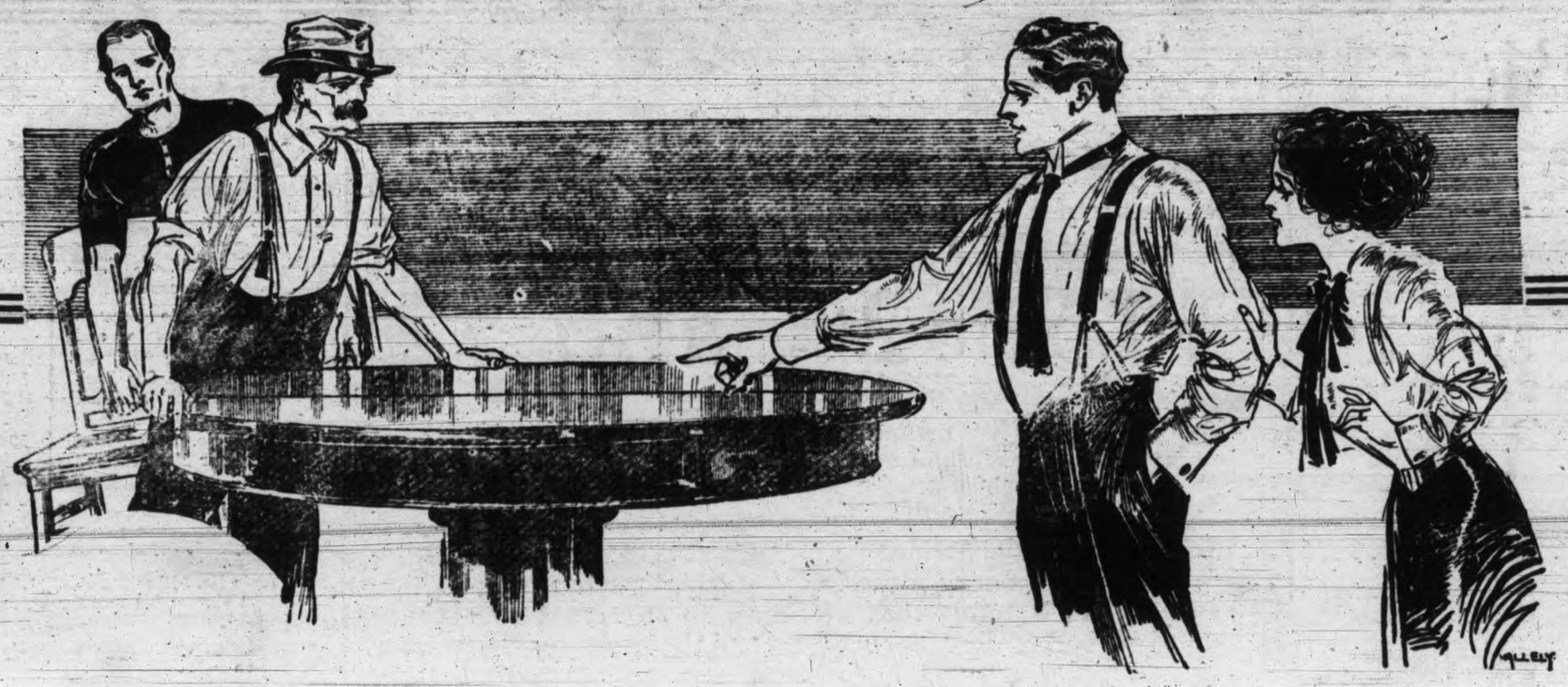

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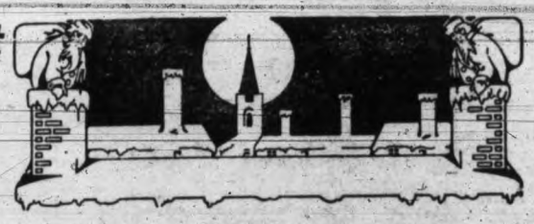

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arlesden to Carry Massive Load to Orient—Room for Other Companies in Trade

Showing clearly that there is suffi-nt business between Puget Sound d the Orient to warrant additional es entering the trade, is the fact at the steamship Harlesden, under arter to the Blue Funnel line, when e leaves Seattle for Yokohama ortly, will have a capacity load of neral merchandise, including a tre-endous deck-load of lumber. The arlesden has had no difficulty in se-ring a full cargo despite the fact at just previous to her charter the olt liner Bellerophon had cleared om the Sound and that the Cyclops s been loading freight at the same me.

When the Harlesden sails she will rdly resemble a steamship in ap-arance as such an immense amount cargo is being taken aboard, which s necessitated stacking her deck up gh with lumber by the use of high dwarks. Already staggering under a avy cargo which jams her holds, the ssel has returned from Vancouver to attle and will complete her deck d there and at Port Blakeley.

After loading several hundred tons freight here, the Cyclops, Capt. ark, of the Holt line, cleared for Se-tle last night. She took on her 4,000 rrels of whale oil, 10,000 cases of lmon and considerable lumber and neral freight. The big steamship ll leave Victoria on her outward und trip on November 29.

A cablegram received by the Tacoma fice of Dodwell & Co., yesterday said e steamer Antilochus left Yokohama esday for Puget Sound. She has 0 bales of raw silk, 1,900 tons of rgo for Tacoma 200 for Seattle, 00 for Victoria and 5,000 for Van-uver. She is due in Victoria Nov. th.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Nov. 16.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Persia, ongkong; M. F. Plant, in tow of the eamer Roseerans; Bear, Portland; n Jacinto, Santa Monica, Gray's Har-r. Sailed: Nina Brea, Taltana Bay; ea, Gray's Harbor; cruiser Cincin-ti, Honolulu.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Watson, n Francisco; Springbank, Seattle. iled: Bertha, Seattle.

Portland, Ore.—Arrived: Falcon, San ancisco; Wasp, Seattle; Anna, Cal-.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Arrived: Helene, allapa Harbor; Wotan, Mororan. iled: Governor, Seattle; George W. der, Portland; Pasadena, Albion; ndon, Coquille River; Sadie, Ump-a River; Claremont, Willapa Harbor. Shanghai—Arrived (previously): Os-stry, Portland.

St. Vincent, C. V. I.—Arrived: Col-gham, Portland, Ore.

Newcastle, N. S. W.—Sailed: Henrik sen, San Francisco.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: U. S. rev-ue cutter Tahoma, Bremerton; Wat-n, San Francisco; Bertha, Tacoma; D. Peters, Hunter Bay. Sailed: ringbank, Tacoma; Montara, Taco-a; A. H. Baxter, San Pedro; North-estern, Southwestern Alaska; Wat-n, Tacoma.

CLAIMING NO SALVAGE.

get Sound Towboat Co. Not to Ask Owners of Washington for Compensation.

No salvage will be claimed by the get Sound Towboat Company own-g the tug Tatoosh, which rescued the eam schooner Washington with rty-six persons on board, at the outh of the Columbia river, during e storm of last Monday, when the ashington was in imminent danger going on the rocks. The tug com-ny made this announcement yester-y following the receipt of a letter om Captain Bailey of the Tatoosh.

The company wrote Captain Bailey mplimenting him on his brave action rescuing the Washington and its assengers from what seemed certain ath and asking him incidentally if lvage on the Washington would be aimed.

Captain Bailey replied at once that the tug company would make no claim for salvage. He says his crew risked their lives when they went to the aid of the Washington and took chances of never coming back to land. When he called for volunteers, every man aboard the tug volunteered, and under the circumstances of the rescue, Captain Bailey does not wish to claim any salvage.

SPEND CHRISTMAS IN THE DEAR OLD LAND

Many Victorians Leaving to Visit Home Towns Once More—Heavy Bookings

Heavy bookings to all points in England, Scotland and Ireland are reported at the present time by the passenger agents of this city. Since the great rush of people to the Coronation the spring and summer of this year there has been a lull in the business of the various railroad and steamship agencies but during the last two weeks the transportation men state that they have made numerous reservations for persons who will spend several months visiting their native towns.

About a month or six weeks before Christmas there are generally a great many people booked for return trips to the Old Country, but this year's bookings surpass all former records. Some of the old timers of Victoria have purchased tickets for their home towns and will spend Christmas among their kith and kin, whom they have not seen for many years.

All the trans-Atlantic steamships are reported to have their accommodation taken up to the second week in December. Every day a number of Victorians depart on the Vancouver or Seattle boats to connect with their trains which will rush them across the continent to New York, Montreal or some of the other ports where the big liners sail. It is impossible to get even a rough estimate of the number of local residents who will spend Christmas in old England, but the agents expected that it will exceed over 150.

WIRELESS REPORTS

Nov. 17, 8 a. m.

Point Grey—Cloudy, wind S. E., 30. 61, 43, sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Overcast, wind S. E. light, 30.04, 38, sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Raining, wind south 30 miles, thick seaward, 30.19, 50, sea moderate. In a steamer at 5.15 a. m., out steam schooner Thomas L. Wand at 7.45 a. m.

Pachena—Raining, wind S. E., 29. 91, 48, heavy swell.

Estevan—Hazy, raining, wind south fresh, 29.74, 40, sea rough.

Triangle—Foggy, raining, wind S. W. 29.15, 38, dense seaward.

Ikeda—Cloudy, calm, 29.58, 42, sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy, calm, 29.64. 41, sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast, calm, sea smooth. In Princess Mary at 8 p. m. southbound.

Noon.

Point Grey—Raining; wind S. E.; thick seaward; 30.06; 47; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Overcast; wind S. E.; 30.05; 44; sea smooth. Two-masted freighter steamer northbound at 9 a.m.

Tatoosh—Raining; thick seaward; wind south, 46 miles; 30.14; 49; sea rough.

Pachena—Raining; wind S. W.; 29.85; 43; light swell.

Estevan—Foggy; raining; wind S.E.; 29.66; 51; sea rough.

Triangle—Foggy; wind S. W.; raining; 30.23; 43; dense seaward.

Ikeda—Cloudy; calm; 29.58; 48; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; 29.78; 49; sea smooth. In, Prince Albert at 8.15 a.m.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; calm; sea smooth.

The steamer Francis H. Leggett, which arrived at Portland on Monday from Balboa, has been sold by the Hammond Lumber Company to the Hicks-Hauptman Lumber Co. The purchase price is said to have been $165,000. The vessel is of 975 tons register, and was built eight years ago at Newport News. The Hicks-Hauptman Lumber Co. also bought the steamer Temple E. Dorr recently, and was negotiating for the steamer Nehalem, but the latter deal failed to have fallen through.

SEND CAPT. WALBRAN TO COMMAND QUADRA

Leaves To-night for Prince Rupert to Relieve Capt. Hackett—Newington Sails

Announcement has been made by the Marine and Fisheries department to the effect that Capt. J. T. Walbran will relieve Capt. Charles Hackett, as commander of the steamer Quadra, now lying at Prince Rupert. Capt. Walbran, who is connected with the office staff of the department, is leaving on the C. P. R. steamer Princess May for the northern port to-night. He was formerly master of the Quadra and is to take that vessel to Langara island from Prince Rupert and then bring her south to Victoria.

This morning the steamer Newington, Capt. Barnes, of the Marine department, left port for the lighthouses and life-saving stations on the west coast with stores and supplies. It is expected that she will be absent from here for several weeks as the heavy weather which is prevailing off the coast will delay the landing of the provisions at the exposed points.

According to the agents of the G. T. P. the steamer Prince John will arrive here late this afternoon from the north to undergo her annual overhaul. The vessel was expected here yesterday but word was received to-day that she left Prince Rupert one day late. She will spend about a week in port and while she is being cleaned and painted the Prince Albert is looking after the Prince Rupert-Queen Charlotte-Stewart service. The John will be turned over to the B. C. Marine railway while here and given an extensive overhaul.

NO CHARTER HERE FOR IRBY.

British Ship Leaving 'Frisco for Newcastle, Aust.—Sudden Slump in Market.

The British ship Irby, idle at San Francisco, has received orders to take on ballast and proceed to Newcastle, Australia, in search of a charter. While there is a heavy demand all along the coast for handy home-owned sailing tonnage, foreign sailing ships tonnage is suddenly going begging, largely as a result of the unsatisfactory grain market in Europe.

Tramp steamers, however, continue to find ready employment. Australian advices state that the Norwegian tramp steamer Hornelin left Newcastle for 'Frisco October 28 and the Henrik Ibsen on November 8. Both are under charter to load on the Sound.

The Peruvian barque Cavour and the schooner Columbia, both of which loaded on the Sound, have arrived at Callao. The barquentine Aurora, also from the Sound, arrived at Mejillones November 7.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

From the Orient.

Kamakura Maru	Nov. 23
Lucerie	Nov. 23
Empress of India	Nov. 30
Tacoma Maru	Nov. 30
From Australia.	
Makura	Dec. 12
From Liverpool.	
Antilochus	Nov. 15
From Mexico	
Henley	Nov. 28
From Antwerp.	
Director	Nov. 20
For the Orient.	
Tamba Maru	Nov. 18
Canada Maru	Nov. 25
Empress of India	Dec. 13
For Mexico.	
Strathdene	Nov. 21
For Liverpool.	
Cyclops	Nov. 29
For Australia.	
Marama	Nov. 29

COASTWISE STEAMERS.

From san Francisco.	
Umatilla	Nov. 23
City of Puebla	Nov. 30
From Northern B. C. Ports.	
Prince Rupert	Nov. 19
Venture	Nov. 22
Vadso	Nov. 29
From Skagway	
Princess May	Dec. 1
From the West Coast.	
Tees	Nov. 26
For San Francisco.	
City of Puebla	Nov. 21
Umatilla	Nov. 29
For Skagway.	
Princess May	Nov. 17
For Northern B. C. Ports.	
Prince Rupert	Nov. 20
Venture	Nov. 23
Princess Mary	Nov. 24
For the West Coast.	
Tees	Nov. 29
For Nanaimo.	
Charmer	Nov. 21
For East Coast.	
Queen City	Nov. 21

SHIPMENT OF JAP ORANGES ARRIVES

CANADA MARU BRINGS FIRST CONSIGNMENT

Steamship Has Rough Passage From Yokohama—Hove to for 20 Hours

No Christmas festivities are ever complete without the celebrated Japanese oranges, which seem to add a finishing touch to the menu of delicacies served at that season of the year. Reports were received here a short time ago stating that the chop of oranges in Japan had been a failure but all Victorians, who conduct the Yule-tide dinners according to the old customs, will gladly receive the news that the Osaka Shosen Kaisha steamship Canada Maru, which arrived here yesterday afternoon, brought the first shipment of Japanese oranges.

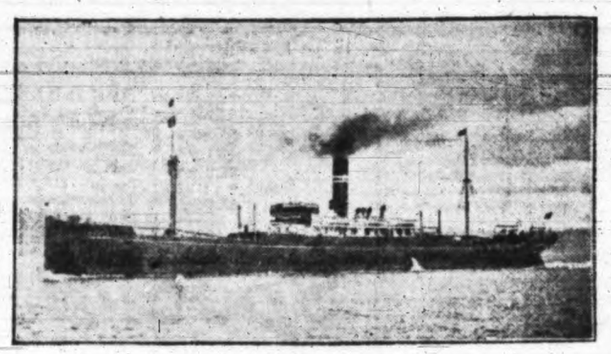
Nearly 500 boxes were discharged and Capt. Hori, who is in command of the Maru, states that all the liners following the Canada will bring large shipments of oranges, which at this season of the year are considered in this part of the globe as Japan's foremost product. The skipper of the vessel does not believe that there will be a dearth in the orange trade as all the growers have packed many thousands of boxes despite the rather poor crop.

The Canada Maru was almost a day late when she tied up at the outerdocks and Capt. Hori attributes the delay to the stormy weather which was encountered during the run across the Pacific. When four days out from Yokohama the steamssip ran into a light northwest breeze, which later developed into almost a hurricane. The liner shipped an enormous amount of water as the seas were running tremendously high. After bucking into the gale for some time Capt. Hori decided to slow his vessed down and as the storm increased in fury he hove to. For twenty hours the Maru remained at almost a standstill, just keeping sufficient weigh on to hold her nose into the gale.

As the large combers swept the decks some damage was done, a number of the doors being splintered. Not once during the trip across did the Maru have a pleasant day's sailing. Moderate gales and rain prevailed during the latter part of the passage, which Capt. Hori states was the dirtiest he has ever experienced on the Pacific.

Among the saloon passengers brought across the Pacific by the Canada was R. Watanabe, who is to join the Japanese consulate at Vancouver. For many years he was chancellor at Vladivostok and left that city only four months ago to take a position in the Terminal City. He is spending a few days in this city before proceeding to the mainland port. There were also five other saloon passengers, including three Japanese ladies and K. Pokerduc and J. Takita from Yokohama.

Eight hundred bales of silk, valued at considerablyy over a quarter of a million dollars, was stowed in the holds of the steamship. She also had three thousand tons of general freight, of which 400 tons was discharged at Victoria.



O. S. K. LINER CANADA MARU

First steamship to arrive here with Japanese oranges. She had nearly 500 boxes and her skipper reports that all vessels following will have large shipments.

SCHEME PROBABLY DEFEATED.

Unfriendly Interests Turn Down B. N. Baker—Was to Have Operated Line via Panama.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 17.—Word was received here last night by J. N. Tew, of this city, from Bernard N. Baker, of Baltimore, that unfriendly interests have probably defeated the financing of a large steamship company which contemplated putting on a line of large ships to ply between Seattle, Portland, and San Francisco on the Pacific Coast, and Atlantic coast ports by way of the Panama Canal. According to reports received here, Mr. Baker will endeavor to influence congress to authorize federal authorities to establish the line.

Mr. Baker visited various Pacific Coast cities a few weeks ago, when he outlined his plans for the steamship line.

The C. P. R. liner Empress of India sailed from Yokohama Sunday afternoon for Vancouver.

TO MAKE PASSENGER VESSEL OF YUCATAN

Steamer Which Has Been Operating as Freighter May Be Converted at 'Frisco

While nothing definite has yet been announced it is expected that the North Pacific Company's steamship Yucatan, which is well-known at this port, will be converted into a passenger vessel at San Francisco. The Yucatan has just arrived at the Golden Gate from the Sound with a general cargo, and it is understood that when she departs from that port she will have passenger accommodation.

When the vessel was towed from this port to Seattle to be repaired it was discovered that there was not sufficient time at the disposal of the company to equip her with accommodation for passengers, as the Western Alaska Steamship Company, which had chartered her, had announced that she would sail for Nome at a near date. Consequently the Yucatan was converted into a freighter and during the past summer has been engaged in carrying cargoes to Nome and other Alaskan ports.

Upon the expiration of her charter to the Western Alaska Co., the owners were successful in getting a cargo for San Francisco. She is to have accommodation for 500 assengers and most likely will enter on the run between Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego. The Yucatan lay at the outer docks a wreck for nearly a year, when she was sold by the underwriters to the North Pacific Company. She was wrecked in Icy Straits a year ago last January by striking a submerged iceberg and after being declared a constructive total loss was floated by the insurance companies and brought here.

JUDGMENT IS RESERVED.

Edrie Case in Court of Appeal Finished—Argue on Schooner's Position.

Vancouver, Nov. 17.—The court of appeal yesterday reserved judgment in the case of the fishing schooner Edrie, seized last February by H. M. C. S. Rainbow.

W. B. A. Ritchie, K. C., for the Chlopeck Fishing Company, owners of the Edrie, contended that there was a difference in the charts submitted by the prosecution and the defence. A new chart, purchased direct from the stationers, had been laid before the court by the defence, and on that the position of the Edrie at the time of her capture, as marked by Commander Stewart, showed plainly she was outside the three-mile limit.

D. G. Macdonnell, who appeared for the crown, confined his argument chiefly to facts brought out in evidence by the commander and officers of the Rainbow in the trial before Chief Justice Hunter. He pointed out that the commander and first lieutenant of the Rainbow took very careful bearings, both with the compass and an instrument known as the range finder. According to this, when they first sighted the Edrie she was three-quarters of a mile inside the three-mile limit from the shore of Cox's island. Later on she was a quarter of a mile inside, and when they fired the shot and ordered her to heave to, she was still 360 yards inside.

Douglas Armour, who appeared with Mr. Macdonnell for the crown, pointed out that no reliability could be placed on the bearings taken by the Edrie. In this case she seemed to have taken no bearings till she saw the Rainbow.

START ON LONG VOYAGE.

Fishing Schooner Sails From Boston on Way to Seattle.

Boston, Nov. 17.—Amid the shrieks of sirens of all manner of steam crafts, the little fishing schooner Athena, fitted with a 100-horse-power auxiliary engine, backed out of her berth at Commercial wharf early to-day and headed for Seattle, 16,000 miles away, to enter the halibut fishing industry. The voyage will be the longest ever undertaken from this port by a vessel of this size.

Captain Edward Brewer and his crew of eleven men expect to arrive at their destination in four months. No stops will be made on the way. The Athena is a new boat of the knockabout variety. It carries provisions to feed all hands for six months.

MARINE NOTES

With a cargo of about 3,500,000 feet of lumber for Sydney and Newcastle, Australia, the Norwegian steamer Solveig is due to clear for the Antipodes.

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Late to-night the C. P. R. steamer Princess May, Capt. McLeod, sails for Prince Rupert and Skagway. She is taking a number of passengers from this port.

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The barquentine Koko Head at Kahuluhas been chartered by Hind, Rolph & Co. to load lumber on the Sound for Australia. The rate has not been named.

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The British ship Marlborough Hill, which left Vancouver June 6, arrived at Sharples, Eng., November 11, and was sold and will hereafter run under the English flag.

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The proposed new steamship line between Europe and Canada is not financed by the C. P. R., but by Dutch and French bankers, who have purchased the ships from the C. P. R.

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Not damaged in the least by her mishap, the Great Northern steamship Minnesota has proceeded from Kobe for Yokohama. The vessel will arrive in Seattle on her regular schedule.

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The British steamer Beckenham has arrived at Honolulu with coal for Australia. She is under time charter to the Mexican line to ply between Victoria and Salina Cruz in conjunction with the British steamer Strathdene.

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After spending the summer in making a survey of Southeastern Alaska waters, the United States coast and geodetic survey ship McArthur has arrived in Seattle from Juneau. She is the last of the coast and geodetic survey vessels to come to Seattle for the season, and will await orders there.

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To complete her cargo of grain for the United Kingdom, the French barque Le Pilier, in tow of the Wanderer, reached Tacoma Wednesday from Seattle, where she loaded 1,340 tons of wheat. At Tacoma the vessel will take on 2,110 tons of grain at Balfour, Guthrie & Co.'s dock.

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To render assistance to vessels in distress at sea during the season of bad weather, President Taft has expressly ordered the entire Atlantic fleet of U. S. revenue cutters to patrol the coast from Maine to Florida, beginning December 1, remaining at sea practically continuously until April 1, 1912. The revenue cutters will be stocked with provisions, water and fuel with which to extend relief. None of them will seek a harbor during the entire five-month, except as necessity demands.

Canadian Pacific

CHANGE IN TRAIN SCHEDULE

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1.45 p.m.—No. 14, Soo Pacific Express for St. Paul and Minneapolis.	12.00, noon—No. 14, Soo Pacific Express from St. Paul and Minneapolis.
7.30 p.m.—No. 2, Imperial Limited for Montreal and East.	10.50 p.m.—No. 4, Toronto Express from Toronto and East.

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November, 1911.

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Regular $15.00—True Economy Sale Price $12.45
Regular $18.00—True Economy Sale Price $14.95
Regular $20.00—True Economy Sale Price $16.45
Regular $22.00—True Economy Sale Price $18.45
Regular $25.00—True Economy Sale Price $21.45
Regular $28.00—True Economy Sale Price $22.95
Regular $30.00—True Economy Sale Price $24.95
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COUNCIL OF FIVE TO RUN CIVIC AFFAIRS

Terminal City Gives Notice of Intention to Apply for Legislation

By a coincidence the meeting here of the Union of B. C. Municipalities, with its discussions of the commission form of civic government and its deliverance in favor of that form, closed just as the provincial gazette was being published with the advertisement of Vancouver's intention of applying to the legislature next session for such amendments to its charter as will enable it to carry out the desire expressed at last municipal election to put this system into operation in that city.

It is proposed that all power in civic matters shall be exercised by, through and under the direction of a mayor and four aldermen, who will constitute a council, subject to the control and direction of the electors at all times by the initiative, referendum and recall. The term of mayor is to be two years and of aldermen four years. The first election will take place in January, 1913, the two aldermen receiving the lowest vote then holding office for two years and thereafter two aldermen being elected every two years.

The mayor and aldermen shall each devote his entire time and attention to the duties of his office and the service of the city and for this the mayor shall receive a salary of $10,000 and the aldermen $7,500 each. They must each give a bond of $25,000 against malfeasance in office, approved as to its sufficiency by the chief justice of British Columbia.

The council has to hold at least one legislative session in each week and must meet daily, except on Sundays and holidays, for the transaction of civic business.

In the voting for this commission the system of proportional voting is to be introduced. Where the number of candidates for any office is more than three times the number to be elected the "selective or three-choice" ballot is to be used. In the first-choice column the elector is to make a cross for the full number of men to be elected, in the second-choice column for the full or any smaller number of candidates and in the third-choice column for any number of the other candidates. He must not vote for any candidate in more than one column, but errors in the second and third columns will not spoil his vote in the first column. The vote will be counted in the manner which has been described in the Times more than once in dealing with this system of voting.

The initiative shall be exercised by petition of at least 25 per cent. of the total number of votes cast at the previous election, accompanied by the proposed legislation in the form of a by-law which shall have first been submitted to the city solicitor and approved by him as to form. If the council do not pass this within forty days it must submit the proposal to a vote of the people within six months. Fifteen per cent of the vote can secure this procedure when the petition is filed at least sixty days before the next municipal election. If at the final passage of any by-law two members of the council demand it, it shall not go into effect for ten days, and if within that time a 25 per cent. petition is received the council must reconsider its action and, should it not repeal the measure, must submit it to a popular vote at the next municipal or at a special election, but it is provided that there shall not be more than one special election under either initiative or referendum in any period of six months.

Recall is provided for on the petition of 25 per cent. of the total vote for mayor at the previous election or 12 per cent. of the total electorate, whichever is greater, and a special election must be held not less than forty nor more than sixty days after the receipt of the petition. At this the man sought to be removed shall be a candidate without nomination, unless he files notice that he refuses with the clerk ten days before the date fixed for the election. Two or more aldermen or the mayor and one or more aldermen may be joined in one petition for removal.

The fact that the city across the gulf is going to change its system of municipal government does not seem to obviate its necessity for numerous amendments to its special charter, notice of these being nearly as many as in any previous session since the charter was first granted. One of these will give the aldermen of 1912, the last under the old system, a salary of $1,200 instead of the $400 hitherto enjoyed.

PRECIOUS PARROTS

Remarkable Bird That Speaks 200 Words in German.

The Dutch New Guinea parrot, only three inches in length, whose skin has just been presented to the Natural History Museum at South Kensington, has, of course, been outdone for shortness of stature by the smallest species of humming bird, which is only an inch and a quarter in length, and weighs about twenty grains.

It has been outdone in value by the parrot for which Baron Alfred de Rothschild paid a record sum in 1906.

Laura is the bird's name, which familiarity it usually corrects with "Laura from Africa, please." Her plumage is brilliant green, her manners perfect, her expression one of soulful wisdom, and her voice like the banjo's twang. She sings with effect quite a number of songs, she speaks 200 words of German, and can answer all kinds of queries but not in English.

NOTABLE NAVIGATION

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Millett have left for the east on a visit to Flint, Michigan.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Cowan left yesterday for Los Angeles on a brief visit.

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James K. F. Ritchie of Montreal, is a recent arrival at the Dominion hotel.

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B. Tondal of this city, has booked over the Northern Pacific to Wausau, Wis.

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John Cochrane returned yesterday from a business trip to the lower mainland.

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H. A. Bayfield, superintendent of dredges, Vancouver, is in the city on official business.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robinson of Cowichan, have booked for San Diego, Cal., where they will winter.

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James Adam of Ladysmith, is a visitor to the city and is registered at the King Edward hotel.

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Mrs. A. Fisher, of Vancouver, and Miss Hopkins, of Montreal, are in the city en route to Seattle.

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Dr. Davis, provincial inspector of camps, has returned from an official mission in Kootenay country.

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Mrs. A. P. Little and daughter, Miss Janet Little, are over from Vancouver for the remainder of the week.

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H. R. H. Duchess of Connaught will lay the corner stone of the W. C. T. U. building during her stay in Toronto.

Mrs. Alex. McDonald, wife of the late Alex. McDonald, of Klondike fame, is in Victoria visiting relatives and friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Johnston and Miss Johnston, now of Sooke, and late of Calgary, have registered at the Westholme hotel.

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F. E. Young and family have gone east to New York for a short visit by way of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound line.

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W. E. Ditchburn, inspector of Indian agencies, will leave to-night for Alert Bay to inspect Kwawkewlth agency and will be absent ten days.

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A. P. Humphrey of this city, left yesterday over the Great Northern railway for Midway. He will go by way of Spokane to the Boundary city.

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Reeves P. H. Wilson of Chilliwack, and W. Merrifield, of Matsqui, arrived at the Dominion hotel for the convention of the B. C. Union of Municipalities.

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W. W. Foster, deputy minister of public works, returned last evening from a week's stay in Vancouver and the lower mainland.

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J. A. Cunningham, manager of the Western Oil and Supply Company, Vancouver, arrived in the city yesterday on the Princess Victoria.

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G. A. Kirk, Mrs. Kirk and daughter are en route to England, for a seven months sojourn. They will spend the Christmas holidays in Switzerland.

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Mrs. Williscroft, School street, is at Salt Spring island with her sister, Mrs. William Hill, whose husband died suddenly on Sunday last at Fulford harbor.

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En route to Honolulu, James Small has left for San Francisco, and will cross the Pacific from the Golden Gate on the Wilhemina, going south on the President.

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Hon. Thomas Taylor, provincial minister of public works, left on the night boat on an official inspection trip to important government works in the interior.

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Mrs. Bertram R. Saulter and her mother, Mrs. F. B. Lockwood, of Toronto, have been in the city from Vancouver for a short visit. They are now on a visit in Seattle.

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F. J. MacKenzie, M. P. P., arrived in the city yesterday on business of his constituents in the Delta. Mr. MacKenzie reports that the Pacific highway from the Fraser river to the international boundary, which has received much attention from him during his term as representative, is now cut through, a portion of the forest near Cloverdale having to be cleared before a right-of-way existed from New Westminster to Blaine, and a fair automobile road will soon be in existence. The highway was formally opened three months ago, but then a detour had to be made to avoid the unfinished portion.

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The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

The lady across the aisle from us had on a summer hat and an unusually heavy winter ulster.

Said my companion: "Well, if I were going to have one of those ridiculously heavy winter coats, I certainly wouldn't wear my summer hat with it."

Wouldn't she? I wonder. Suppose, for instance, that her one summer suit got caught in a big shower and positively ruined, and she had to buy her winter coat early, but simply couldn't afford a hat. Now just what would she do in a case like that?

Why take it for granted that the lady across the aisle liked the peculiar combination of a winter coat and summer hat? Why not reckon that she was the victim of compelling circumstances, under which we would probably have done the same thing ourselves?

How often we all say loftily, "I wouldn't do this or that." How do we know we wouldn't under the same circumstances? We don't.

It seems to me that one of the big lessons of life is to realize what a difference it makes what side of the fence we are on, and not try to say what we would or wouldn't do under circumstances of which we know nothing.

It is often amusing to see people suddenly transplanted into the position of others, whom they have previously criticized, and to see how very much the same they act themselves, and what a different point of view they get.

Some friends of mine who used to own a horse and drive a good deal, have recently purchased an automobile. When they owned the horse, they could not say anything too strong against their natural enemies, the automobilists.

"This speeding is outrageous. There ought to be a jail sentence instead of a fine." "Automobiles ought not to be allowed to go more than ten or fifteen miles an hour." "The way some of these chauffeurs try to see just how close they can come to your carriage wheels is abominable." "It makes me disgusted the way the automobilists keep on tooting when you are already giving them three-quarters of the road"—these were a few of their strictures.

They have only been in the ranks of the automobilists about six weeks, and already the man of the house, who runs the machine has been arrested for speeding. Incidentally, I did not hear any pleading for a jail sentence instead of a fine.

I was out with them the other day, and don't think we went as slowly as ten miles an hour, even in the city streets. Furthermore, they came so close to the wheels of one carriage that my heart came up in my mouth. Once we passed a carriage which was giving us at least three-quarters of the road, tooting vigorously. A bit timorous lest he should suspect sarcasm, I ventured to ask why he tooted when the team was giving him ample room. "Oh, it isn't to make them give me any more room," he explained loftily; "simply to let them know I am coming so they won't swerve out into the road or start to turn round. You know so many of these drivers are absolutely reckless that way. They expect us to take all the care."

I needn't have feared his suspecting sarcasm.

One of the finest men I know is a baker. Although he abides by it perfectly, he does not approve of the law requiring that every loaf of bread shall be wrapped in paraffine paper. He says it is a foolish law, because the bread is contaminated quite as much while wrapping as it would be if it were left unwrapped. He thinks the people who agitated that law were either short-sighted or self-interested.

Now, this man is a thoroughly sincere, splendidly honest man, and yet I can't help wondering if he were not a baker, if he might not see things differently.

What a difference it does make what side of the fence we are on!

It is simply impossible that it shouldn't. The human equation can't help but enter into the judgment of the best and most just of men.

But I do think we can remember not to say, "I wouldn't," of anything.

Perhaps we "would" twice as much if we were on that side of the fence.

Ruth Cameron

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Ladies' Patent Kid and Vici Kid, beaded instep strap Pumps, $3.00 and $3.50 values

$2.35

Children's Slippers

Children's Ankle Strap Slippers, in tan, patent and kid. Actual price $1.00.

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Children's Oxfords

Children's Oxfords and Slippers, in tan and black, all sizes, from 5 to 10½. Worth up to $1.75

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Ladies' Boots

Ladies' Boots, in Vici, Patents and Calf. Plain toe or tip; high or low heel. Actual price $5 to $5.50.

$2.45

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Men's Vici Kid and Calf Single Sole Boots in six different lasts. Boots to fit any foot. Actual price $8.

$6.65

Ladies' Oxfords

John H. Cross and E. P. Reed Oxfords and Pumps in patent, tan, gunmetal and suede, $5.00 values

$2.45

Men's Patent Boots

Men's high grade Patent Colt Bluchers, all sizes, four styles, regular $5.50 and $6.00 values

$3.85

Just a Word

We anticipate heavy buying Saturday, and it isadvisable to attend this sale at an early hour, as it may be impossible to serve all those coming in the afternoon and evening. Whatever you do, don't miss this sale, as it means a big saving to you on all your winter footwear. A perusal of the abbreviated price list in this advertisement will give you a slight idea of the economical importance of this sale, to all thinking people who value their money and who are alive to their own personal welfare and best interests.

Ladies' Evening Slippers

Ladies' Satin Pumps, in black, white, pink and pale blue. Regular $5.00 value

$3.35

Evening Slippers
Ladies' Satin Strap Sandals, in all shades—regular $4.50 values
$2.85

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Richmond Park

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Illustration showing a portion of Quamichan Avenue, where the water main is to be laid.

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INDIANS OF THE ALBERNI AGENCY

AGENT NEILL MAKES HIS ANNUAL REPORT

Their Occupation and Habits—Discusses Morality of His Charges

In his annual report to the Department of Indian Affairs, Alan W. Neill, of the West Coast agency, at Alberni, speaks as follows of the several bands under his care:

Location of Agency.—This agency extends from Otter Point to Cape Cook, a distance of some 200 miles along the west coast of Vancouver Island.

Tribe or Nation.—The Indians of this agency belong to the Aht family, and comprise at present 18 bands; some of them are much intermarried with other bands which happen to be located comparatively near them.

Reserves.—The 18 bands forming this agency have 150 reserves and fishing stations, aggregating 12,390 acres, or about 5 acres per head of population. There are only two large reserves, which are located in Barclay sound, one at Alberni, belonging to the Tseshaht band and containing 1,030 acres, and the other at Sarita, belonging to the Ohiat band and containing 1,700 acres. The areas of the other reserves are small, varying from 2 acres up to 250 acres each. The majority of these reserves are rocky or heavily timbered, having been given as fishing stations or as village sites and contain only small patches of land suitable for cultivation.

Tseshaht Band.—The principal reserve of this band, and where the Indians have their most permanent home, is named Tsahaheh (No. 1), and is situated on the west bank of the Somas river at Alberni, and comprises an area of 1,030 acres. There is some good land on this reserve. The total area of all their reserves is 1,458 acres.

Opitchesaht Band.—The principal reserve of this band, and their permanent home, is named Ahahwinnis, and is situated on the east bank of the Somas river at Alberni, and contains 96 acres. The total area of all their reserves is 422 acres.

Howchuckliset Band.—The principal reserve of this band is named Elhlateese and is situated at the head of Howchuckliset harbor, Alberni canal, and comprises an area of 400 acres. The total area of their reserve is 575 acres.

Ohiat Band.—The principal reserves of this band are named Ahadzooas, Haines island, and Numukamis. The two former are situated close together at the eastern entrance of Barkley sound, and the latter in the Sarita valley. The Indians use the two former in the spring and summer months, and spend most of the winter at Numukamis. The total area of all their reserves is 2,671 acres.

Toquot Band.—The principal reserve of this band is named Mahcoah, is situated at Village passage, Barkley sound, and contains 134 acres. The Toquots are a very small band and much intermarried with the Ucluelets, with whom they spend much of their time. The total area of their reserves is 421 acres.

Ucluelet Band.—The principal reserve of this band, and their general residence, is named Ittatso, is situated on Ucuelet arm, Barkley sound, and contains 180 acres. Their reserve comprises a total area of 649 acres.

Clayoquot Band.—The principal reserve of this band and their permanent winter home, is at Opitsat on Clayoquot sound, containing 180 acres. The total area of their reserves is 540 acres.

Kelsemaht Band.—The principal reserve of this band, and their home for the greater part of the year, is named Yahkis, on Flores island, Clayoquot sound, and contains 180 acres. The total area of all their reserves is 223 acres.

Ahoussaht Band.—The principal reserve of this band, and their winter home, is named Mahktosis, on Matlahl creek, Clayoquot sound, and contains 250 acres. The total area of all their reserves is 826 acres.

Heshquiat Band.—The principal reserve of this band and their most permanent home, is at Heshque, which is situated on Heshquiat harbor about 20 miles north of Clayoquot sound, and contains 222 acres. A number of the Indian houses of this village are in reality built on land adjoining the reserve, and which is vested in the Roman Catholic church. The total area of all their reserves is 577 acres.

Moachaht Band.—The principal reserve of this band and where the Indians reside for the most part, is named Yuquot, is situated at Friendly cove, Nootka sound, and contains 211 acres. The total area of all their reserves is 527 acres.

Matchilaht Band.—The principal reserve of this band and where most of their houses are built, is named Cheshish, is situated in the rear of Bligh island, Nootka sound, and contains 29 acres. Many of the members of this band live much of the time with the Moachaht band, with whom they have been intermarrying for a long time. The total area of all their reserves is 127 acres.

Noochatlaht Band.—The principal reserve and chief home of this band is named Noochat, is situated on Esperanza inlet, and contains 16 acres. The total area of the reserves of this band is 188 acres.

Ehattisaht Band.—The principal reserve of this band and where they live all fall and winter is at Oke on Esperanza inlet, and contains 32 acres. The total area of all their reserves is 123 acres.

Kyuquot Band.—The principal reserves of this band and where the Indians have their permanent home are named Aktese and Kukamukamees, situated close together on Village island and Mission island respectively, comprising an area of 193 acres. These islands form part of the Barrier islands group. The total area of all their reserves is 611 acres.

Chaicclesaht Band.—The principal reserve of this band and their winter home is at Acous in Battle bay, Ououkinsk inlet, and contains 100 acres. The total area of all their reserves is 258 acres.

Nitinat Band.—The three main villages of this band are named Wyah, Claoose, and Carmanah, all of which are situated at the entrance of the straits of Juan de Fuca, and comprise an area of 773 acres. The total area of all their reserves is 1,790 acres.

Pacheenaht Band.—The principal reserve of this band and where the Indians live when at home, is named Pacheena and is situated at the mouth of the San Juan river at Port Renfrew, and contains 153 acres. The total area of all their reserves is 404 acres. The band is much intermarried with the Nitinats.

Population.—The population of the various bands enumerated above is as follows: Ahoussaht, 212; Clayoquot, 209; Checkliset, 61; Ehattisaht, 93; Ucluelet, 134; Hesquiaht, 139; Uchuckliset, 35; Kelsemat, 80; Kyuquot, 226; Matchilaht, 52; Moachat, 135; Nitinat, 180; Noochatlaht, 41; Olaht, 131; Opitchesaht, 48; Pacheenaht, 56; Toquaht, 24; Tseshaht, 128; making a total for the agency of 1984.

Health and Sanitation.—The general health of the Indians has been good throughout the past year and there have been no epidemics of a serious character. A number of old people have died during the year, which has kept the death-rate about the same as last year. The habit of these Indians of moving from place to place according to where they can conveniently get fish, their staple food, or work, helps to a large extent to save them from the consequences of their unsanitary habits, as their winter house with its surroundings has a chance to get purified before they again occupy it, and the same with the places where they stay in the summer months. Each family will have a rude shack or cabin in several places, sometimes quite good houses.

Vaccination has received attention, but the Indians are very averse to the operation, owing to their impure blood, which seems unable to stand the introduction of any matter whatever, and the results of being vaccinated often keep them idle for months and months.

Occupations.—These Indians live by fishing for themselves and for canneries, by sealing both off-shore in their own canoes, and by going on a sealing cruise on schooners, by working in logging camps and saw-mills. This last season a number of them obtained employment working on the construction of a railway being built into Alberni. Others have got employment working on the roads for the provincial government. A number were engaged at the two whaling stations now in operation in this agency.

One Indian of the Noochatlaht band was fortunate enough to secure a sea otter while hunting off shore in his own canoe. He sold the skin for $500. A first-class sea otter will fetch a good deal more than that figure.

Buildings.—There is nothing of importance to record in regard to buildings. The constant decrease in the numbers of the Indians does not of course encourage much building, and the higher price of lumber now also tends to discourage extensive building operations.

Stock.—These Indians possess very little stock and they do not take any care of what they do own. In several bands a few cattle are owned, but if they did not manage to run wild in the bush, summer and winter, they would soon disappear.

Farm Implements.—There are practically no farm implements in the agency.

Characteristics and Progress.—The Indians are law-abiding and but seldom give any trouble in any open infractions of the law, beyond occasionally indulging in liquor if it can be had, but not to any large extent. They will also gamble and probably do so to a greater extent than is known to the authorities. They are not industrious and would fain see the department provide them all with food, in which case very few of them would work at all; but of course there are a few notable exceptions of steady working men. They are not becoming any richer, though those who live in the neighborhood of white settlements where they can see and obtain them, are increasing their range of purchases, articles such as gramophones, bicycles and baby carriages being found in many Indian homes.

Temperance and Morality.—As to whether these Indians could be called temperate, could only be decided if the opportunity were afforded to get as much liquor as they liked. Generally speaking, the majority of them will drink liquor if it can be obtained without too much trouble and risk, but will not go to any extraordinary pains to secure it. There are a number, superior to the majority, who would not touch it if available, and another section, inferior to their fellows, who are going to have it whenever it is at all possible and who, if it were open to them, would be drunk as often as they had money.

Considering their surroundings and inherited habits, their morality is not so bad as might be expected, and those least exposed to intercourse with white people of a low class are fairly moral according to their own ideas.

BANK MANAGER PROMOTED.

Fernie, Nov. 16.—J. R. Lawry, who for the past seven years has been manager of the local branch of the Bank of Hamilton, has been promoted to the post of inspector of branches for Alberta and will sever his connection with the bank here as soon as business will permit. J. R. Sloan, formerly of Morden, Man., is the succeeding manager here.

Mr. Lawry arrived here three weeks after the branch was opened and has built up a substantial banking business during his seven years in charge. Mr. and Mrs. Lawry have many warm personal friends in the city who will be sorry to see them depart. Mr. Lawry has been generous with his services to public causes, having been an active member of the board of trade for many years. He was president of that body for one term.

The other night a number of friends gathered in the club at a little reception in honor of the departing manager. During the course of the evening a presentation was made to Mr. and Mrs. Lawry. Mr. Lawry received a leather travelling companion and a case of pipes, while Mrs. Lawry will take with her a cut glass water set as a souvenir of pleasant social relations here.

DRANK POISON.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 17.—Eugene Markley, a lawyer of this city, was found dead in bed here yesterday, an empty bottle which had contained carbolic acid indicating the cause of death. Markley had been divorced recently and his friends state that he had been brooding over his troubles. On a table beside the bed was a letter to his parents in Los Angeles bidding them farewell. Markley was 45 years of age.

ALLEGED BIGAMIST.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 17.—James M. Smith, a carpenter, who gave his home address as San Antonio, Texas, was arrested yesterday charged with bigamy. The police say Smith has four wives living and one has died. Smith was held and he will be given a preliminary examination on November 23.

JUDGMENT RESERVED.

Vancouver, Nov. 17.—Magistrate Shaw yesterday reserved judgment in the 14 cases of alleged violation of the Lord's Day Act which have now been before him for some time. The defendants were mostly keepers of refreshment stands, and were charged with selling cigarettes, tobacco, candies and similar articles on Sunday.

J. E. Bird, counsel for the defence, contented himself with technical objections to the prosecution. One of his points was that the Lord's Day Act could not be used in discrimination. If one class were proceeded against under it, then all others must be.

Mr. Kennedy, city prosecutor, produced the authorization of the attorney-general to proceed in these particular cases.

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MAYOR PLANTA IS PRESIDENT AGAIN

MUNICIPAL UNION OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

Revelstoke for Next Meeting—Proceedings of the Closing Business Session

The most successful convention of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities was brought to a close so far as business was concerned late yesterday afternoon, when Revelstoke was selected as the next place of meeting, and the following officers were elected:

President—Mayor A. E. Planta, Nanaimo, re-elected by acclamation.

Vice-president—Mayor Lee, New Westminster.

Hon. secretary-treasurer—Ex-Reeve Harry Bose, Surrey, re-elected by acclamation by a standing vote.

Executive committee—Mayor Hamilton, Revelstoke; Reeve Dick, Mission; Ald. Enright, Vancouver; Reeve McNaught, North Vancouver district; Reeve Weart, Burnaby; Reeve Pound, South Vancouver; Mayor McNeish, North Vancouver city.

Greetings from W. D. Lighthall, Montreal, honorary secretary of the Union of Canadian Municipalities, were conveyed by Mayor Lee on behalf of Mayor Taylor, Vancouver, who was unable to be present.

Commission Government.

City Solicitor McDiarmid said that civic government under the Municipal Clauses Act divided itself into the two branches, legislative and administrative. There was not to be found through the Dominion or States any general harmony of municipal legislation, and court decisions could be found on both sides of every question that could arise.

In this province councils were so limited that they practically had nothing to do in a legislative way, but were simply an executive, able to initiate little and doing what some one else directed them to do. As a matter of fact the council had little to legislate outside such things as building by-laws, or a streets regulation by-law, and even there the Attorney-General had taken away from them the power to regulate motor traffic. Practically they had no authority to initiate any legislation. In the matter of sinking funds, license affairs, education and the like councils were bound down by hard and fast rules which were imposed upon them. They assessed and collected taxes which were spent by school boards, library boards, park boards, police boards and other bodies over whom they had no control.

Taking Victoria as an instance, the revenue this year was $1,663,000, of which $976,000 was uncontrollable expenditure so far as the present council was concerned. It might surprise citizens to know that the school board was actually handling more money than the municipal council. Possibly $50,000 would represent every dollar the council had to waste or do any good with.

The same, with different figures, was true of every municipality.

The men elected to councils had little time to devote to a business that needed a man's whole time; the better business man he was the less time he had. Practically civic government today was by paid city officials who had no authority and for whose actions the councils had to take the blame. There was inefficiency in civic government by the council system because of the once-a-week meetings, the lack of knowledge on the part of aldermen, the character of the aldermen and the frequent change of personnel. The pernicious ward system landed men in office whom possibly the whole city would never elect.

Another method of government was by a board of control, but there also the council, having nothing else to do, inevitably interfered in executive work and insisted on having a say as to how things should be and were being done. There was, too, the nagging of the press, which gave accounts of the sensational things but nothing of the great amount of work done in between the aldermen telling one another how this or that should be done.

The commission form of government, on the other hand, made for good administration and for efficiency of the permanent staff. It would not put brains into the head of an incompetent man if citizens elected one, but granted honesty, efficiency and a term of office of more than one year the commission system could not be surpassed. Running a city was a business in itself, and when a city got as big as this it demanded first-class trained servants and nowhere more than in the men responsible for spending the people's money. It was the trained men they did not get now and had more chance of getting under the commission form of government.

A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. McDiarmid on motion of Ald. Enright, Vancouver, and Mayor Lee, New Westminster.

Reeve Weart, Burnaby, moved that the government be asked to enact legislation to enable any municipality to adopt the commission form of government.

Reeve McNaught, North Vancouver district, seconding this, suggested that there should be a course in civic government in the new provincial university.

Mayor Morley did not know that a university course was necessary in what was becoming a new profession, but long experience combined with it would produce the best results.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

Real Estate Plans.

In order to safeguard the interests of those at a distance buying real estate the city of North Vancouver asked that the attention of the government be called to the necessity of giving power to municipalities to enforce the showing of contour lines of the configuration of the ground and any ravines on sub-division plans submitted for approval.

Mayor McNich, of the city, and Councillor Bridgeman, of the district, supported this and took exception to the report of the resolutions committee against it.

Reeve Weart, defending the committee's action, maintained that the union could not go to the government and ask for power to protect people against their own neglect.

Reeve McNaught thought it was an interference with a man's rights to say what he should do in the way of supplying plans to purchasers.

The convention decided to refer the matter to the executive committee.

North Vancouver desired to have auditors of municipal accounts appointed by the government, but the resolutions committee recommended that this be struck out. Reeve Weart referred to the recent experience of New Westminster and Burnaby with a government auditor and opposed the proposal strongly. The convention took the same view.

Victoria Proposals.

Approval was given to a number of amendments suggested by City Solicitor McDiarmid, including power to inspect slaughter-houses, dairies and cows outside municipalities as well as inside, the prohibition of keeping fish alive in seines or traps, giving specific power to provide public conveniences, and amending the Liquor License Act so as to allow municipalities to prohibit liquor selling in restaurants with meals after hours.

Mayor Hamilton, Revelstoke, secured the endorsation of a proposal for legislation touching the providing of libraries.

An echo of the fight between the city council and school board of Nelson was audible in an amendment proposed by the city council, which would make the Public School Act fix a limit to the amount that could be expended by trustees, either a per capita sum or a level amount.

Mayor Selous, Nelson, explained the differences briefly and referred to the ambiguous phrasing of the act, which read that a council "may" do so and so.

When May is Must.

"I have always believed that may means may," continued his worship, "but legal gentlemen tell me that may means must (laughter). When we wrote to the Attorney-General he would not decide what the word meant, but the Minister of Education decided that may means must."

Mayor Hamilton, Revelstoke, pointed out that education cost $29 per child in Nanaimo, from $30 to $40 in other places, but no less than $54.50 in Nelson.

Mayor Husband, Vernon, thought it would be well if there could be a divorce effected between council and school board, both of which were elected bodies and could answer to the people for their own expenditure.

Arising out of the president's address the resolutions committee suggested that a solicitor be engaged to draft a new municipal act, as soon as enough municipalities signify their intention to bear portion of the cost, he to confer with the solicitors of the first-class and second-class cities. This was agreed to.

Mayor Lee, discussing the principle of a communication from the Union of Canadian Municipalities as to the beautifying of capital cities, warmly endorsed it. He believed that the upkeep of a capital ought to be largely at the expense of the people of the province as a whole.

The convention filed a request from the Local Option League for aid in securing the right to submit local option referendums to the people, the resolutions committee reporting that municipalities possess the right to take a plebiscite on this or any question without any petition from the electors.

Final Business.

For the next place of meeting, invitations were received from Mayor Morley for Victoria, coupled with the suggestion that the annual meeting should be made a fixture here, and from Mayor Hamilton for Revelstoke. Vernon and Armstrong gave way in favor of the railway town. It was the opinion of the bulk of the delegates that it would kill the association to keep on meeting in the one city and prevent very many delegates from ever getting an opportunity to attend a convention.

Revelstoke was unanimously chosen on motion of Reeve McNaught, seconded by Mayor Lee, and the election of officers was then proceeded with.

Votes of thanks were passed to the mayor and council for the use of the council chamber and the hospitality shown, and to City Solicitor McDiarmid for assistance given the resolutions committee.

The convention adjourned at 7 o'clock.

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DIES SUDDENLY.

Nome, Nov. 17.—A report received from Otter Creek says that T. Dingwall, a well known mining man dropped dead of heart failure.

PROGRESS ON THE NORTHERN ISLES

DEVELOPMENT NOW BEING CARRIED ON

Queen Charlotte Islands the Scene of Considerable Activity—Capital Interested

A recent issue of the Queen Charlotte News has the following article on the progress of the islands:

Coal has been known to exist on Queen Charlotte Islands for the past thirty years. It was discovered in 1859 by William Downie, and explored in 1885 by W. A. Robertson, but little development work has been done until within the last six months. At the present time, however, there are three diamond drills in operation—one in the townsite of Queen Charlotte in charge of the Spokane Diamond Drill Company for the Northern Anthracite Collieries, Limited, one for the Island Valley Coal Company in charge of Green Brothers, and one for the Graham Island Collieries, Limited, of Vancouver, in charge of Mr. Barton, who has the contract for the drilling. The two latter mentioned are within a radius of nine miles of Queen Charlotte City, while actual development work is going on in opening up a splendid seam of anthracite coal by the British Pacific Coal Company within sight of the townsite.

The notable feature with reference to the Queen Charlotte anthracite coal is that it carries a high amount of fixed carbon and is positively a smokeless coal.

In fact the islands have been making good at the rate of over a hundred per cent. every year for the past three years. Our farm lands have advanced from $2.50 per acre to $12.50. Our coal lands from $10 to $20 by the provincial government, and large sections have been resold as high as $50 per acre. Timber lands have gone from $1 to $7, and at these figures hundreds of thousands of acres have changed hands.

Two large whaling stations are in operation, one of which in less than one year was resold at a net profit of over one hundred per cent., making a small fortune for a number of Victoria citizens.

Three years ago the people of the islands were glad to hear the whistle of the old steamship Amur twice a month. Now we have two palatial lines of steamers running to the islands, the C.P.R. Company and the G. T.P. Company having regular service. Both of these companies have either built or bought new boats for the island business. These added to several freight boats are making better than 200 per cent. advances in the line of transportation; while our provincial government has built hundreds of miles of trails and roads, which is, to say the least, both gratifying and bringing forth the best results.

The general progress of development of the islands has made a wonderful showing. At least eighteen millions of dollars have been invested in the timber, coal and farm land, fisheries and metalliferous mines within the past three years.

In addition to the resources mentioned, large deposits of iron are known to exist on what is known as Louise island, which forms one of the group of Queen Charlotte Islands.

On the west coast of Graham Island the B. C. Oil Fields have been drilling for the past three months for oil that is known to exist in this locality, and it is only a question of a short time now when it will be known whether it is of commercial value or not.

CANADIAN PRESS OFFICERS.

Toronto, Nov. 17.—The following were elected officers of the Canadian Press, Limited, at the annual meeting: J. F. MacKay, the Globe, Toronto, president; K. E. Nicholls, the Telegram, Winnipeg, first vice-president; J. S. Brierley, the Herald, Montreal, second vice-president; J. E. Atkinson, the Daily Star, Toronto, secretary-treasurer; directors, J. H. Woods, the Herald, Calgary; John Nelson, the News-Advertiser, Vancouver; E. H. Macklin, the Free Press, Winnipeg; E. W. McCready, the Telegraph, St. John; W. Dennis, the Herald, Halifax; J. Ross Robertson, the Evening Telegram, Toronto; Wilson Southam, the Citizen, Ottawa; W. J. Blackburn, the Free Press, London; E. T. Slack, the Gazette, Montreal; Gordon Smith, the Witness, Montreal, and W. F. Kerr, the Leader, Regina.

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MILL BURNED.

Revelstoke, Nov. 16.—The Gibson Lumber Company's mill at Pingston Creek was totally destroyed by fire. The fire took place about noon and a heavy gale of wind was blowing, which made it almost impossible to do anything to stop the ravages of the flames. The insurance carried on the mill and lumber in yards is over $100,000.

John Nixon's logging camp at Beaton was totally destroyed by fire. Mr. Nixon only opend up his camp a couple of weeks ago and the loss is a heavy one, as he was unprotected by insurance. In the fire Mr. Nixon lost five valuable horses, as well as all his camp supplies.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

Practice of Victoria Rugby Union Tomorrow Afternoon.

There will be a general practice of the Victoria Rugby Football Union Saturday at 3 p.m. in preparation for the Vancouver match the following week. Among those requested to turn out on Saturday are the following: R. Gillespie, S. Gillespie, Straker Simpson, Thomas, Spencer, Jeffs, Sweeney, Miller, Heinekey, Day, Houston, Wise, Willis, Arbuckle, Brown, Milligan, Dixon, Vincent, Gallaher, Ogden, Shires, Macdonald, Johnson, Meredith, Champain, Nason, Stewart, Newcombe, Rich, Ross, Morten and Scott.

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Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Vancouver Island and Eastern Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next session, for an act extending the time within which it may construct the railways which it was authorized to construct by the Statutes of Canada 1908 and 1910.

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Ottawa, Ont.
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Dated at Ottawa this 27th day of October, 1911.

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FRENCH SOLDIER'S MEMORY OF SEDAN

Pathetic Story of Famous Battle and Vivid Picture of the Field

The latest tilt of words between Germany and France derives most of its acrimony and its foreboding of possible war from the recollection of the Franco-Prussian struggle of 1870, and the disastrous battle of Sedan, in which the French emperor was captured with some 90,000 officers and men. Marshal MacMahon, it will be recalled, fell into the Sedan trap while making a desperate effort to relieve Marshal Bazaine shut up with a large army at Metz. September 1, the date of the great German triumph, rankles in the heart of every Frenchman alive to-day; and here are the reminiscences of one who was there and shared the enthusiasm of the morning, and the despair of the afternoon. He does not choose to give his name, but the story, fresh from his lips, is now told in Harper's Weekly for the first time. But to begin with, he recounts:

When I became a soldier I was 21 years old. Eugene Monchablon, moi. And I was enrolled in the 20th Infantry, and we were sent to Algiers, but saw no war there.

Then came the news of the war with Prussia. We flamed with eagerness. We wanted to meet and demolish the Prussians. "A Berlin!" was our cry. We could not but go to war.

After a while we were taken across La to France, and we went by rail toward the north, and that we could by any possibility be beaten never came to us. "To Berlin!" was all we said. It was all we thought. We shouted it from the cars at the station, and the people shouted it back.

So toward the north, and we no longer went by railway, but we marched. And on the road with us were many thousands of other French soldiers, and sometimes we could see far across the country to still more. Our hearts rose higher, for we were so many.

Every night we camped pleasantly, and if we did not always have full rations we always managed to get enough not to hunger. Yes; we made it enough, and often there was the kettle of soup and the little salad that we made of what grew by the roadside.

And sometimes I would lie awake for a time, and would perhaps hear the tramp of some regiment passing by and the pleasant jingle of accoutrements, and it was fine when I could see the signal lights flashing with white and red and blue.

I would think of what news of the Prussians those lights might be telling. And sometimes a picket fired, and some young soldier would jump up and make a noise, and his sergeant would growl at him.

From the people in the villages we found that we were marching toward Metz. Rumors of the fighting of great battles came, and the officers tried to make us believe our armies had won. But a chill came over us, for the rumors said that we had lost.

There is news that comes from the officers and there is news that comes from the air, and it came from the air that we had lost a terrible battle at Gravelotte and other battles around Metz.

There were mutterings, and some of the men said "Why, then, does the Emperor make war if he knows not how, and has not good generals?"

But we were only the more eager to get at the Prussians. We had been losing?—well, if so, let us charge them fiercely and win. A bas les Prussiens! For they had insulted us.

The men, it seems did not know they were fighting all Germany, instead of Prussia alone, and considered the campaign a holiday affair. They had food and drink, and took little thought for the morrow. Then, we read, they came within sight of the enemy:

We marched on, and one day, far off, we saw a glinting line of light, and, my comrades said: "The Prussians, Eugene. Those are their helmets."

And I said: "We will fight them; we will fight them with bayonet and with chassepot, and with mitrailleuse."

And he said: "Mon pauvre, Eugene, you will have fighting of a sufficiency."

And we began to find out that we had changed our line of march, and at first it went among us that we were marching now toward Belgium and not toward Metz.

And I said to my comrade: "We are not at war with Belgium. Why do we not keep in front of the Prussians and drive them back. We should fight."

And he said: "Mon pauvre Eugene, you will have fighting of a sufficiency. Hein!"

Then it was that it went through the army, slow, like a poison, for the soldiers would not easily believe hat our generals were traitors, and that we were betrayed. And it is hard to march and march and fear that you are betrayed. It is like the fear in the dark.

Moi, I do not know. They have told me since that we were marching to find a place to go through to Marshal Bazaine, who was then shut up in Metz, but as to that we knew nothing.

But how could there be traitors when the Emperor was with us, and Marshal MacMahon, who had fought well in other wars! Me, I do not think it.

We were covered with white dust as we marched on the long white roads, past the people at the pleasant cottage doors—the old men, and the women, and the girls, and the children. And they said to us: "You will drive away the Prussians!" And we said: "Oui, oui"! But we did not now cry, "A Berlin"!

The fields were rich with harvest, and again our hearts rose as we watched the long lines of soldiers marching, marching.

Colonel de la Guilbert was our commander. A brave man, he. But he rode mostly silent, and we tried to see from his face what he thought, but we could not tell.

At length we came to Sedan; a long city, beside a river that ran in curves through low green fields, and there were sloping hills that rose. And we gathered there, and there were tens of thousands of us.

There were tales of Prussians, countless Germans, near us. We did not know. But we wanted to destroy those Prussians, those Germans.

And then came the morning of September 1. A warm morning, and it came to be a hotter day. We were roused early by the bugles, and hurried into line without any time for breakfast. They thought an attack would come.

For all that long, long day of fighting there was nothing of food for my regiment. And it was well for me, for my surgeon told me that if I had had food my wound would have killed me. For I was wounded, wounded twice, but of this I will tell you later.

My regiment was placed near a village that they called Bazeilles, just at the edge of Sedan. There is a picture of the fighting there—perhaps you have seen?—it is called "Les dernieres cartouches." But we were not at the house of that picture, but were a little distance away. We took a position on a little ridge and waited for the attack.

And I thought of nothing but that I was ready to fight for my country with a gladness like that of a man who goes to his home.

And the Emperor Napoleon drove by us, but it was before we got to our position at Bazeilles. His face was yellow and he looked sick, and from the soldiers there was but little of the shout of the joy. For many of us had begun to believe that he had led us into a war in which there was no hope.

We thought that he was not really in power, the Emperor, and that it was with us as it was with Prussia. For in Prussia they said it was not the King William, but Bismarck, and in France we thought it was not the Emperor Napoleon, but the Empress. Moi, I do not know. But at last we were to fight.

Often have I tried to remember what I thought when the great shells were falling among us and the Prussian lines advanced. But I do not believe I thought at all, for all was so strange and so full of excitement. I was eager only for the order to fire, and I wanted never to stop firing.

That village of Bazeilles—it was wild fighting there, and the Prussians captured it, and they burned every house. Because they were fired at from the houses! But why should not an invader be fired at from the houses?

It was hard fighting, and we were just at the edge of the most terrible. The charges and the firing and the shells—terrible!

And while the smoke of the houses was rising, my regiment was marched to the left toward a place they called Givonne; a little town set beside a little stream in a broad valley. And I thought again that this was a country to fight for and not to be a traitor to, for France is a beautiful land.

I do not know just how long we fought at Bazeilles nor how long we fought at Givonne. I only know that our bugles woke us at four, and that it was perhaps three in the afternoon, judging from the sun, that I was wounded.

It was harder for us at Givonne than at Bazeilles, for at Givonne we were so placed that the shells and the connon-shot came among us, but yet it was not often that we were near enough to the Prussians to fire.

We could see the lines and lines of helmets. A bad sight, to see those helmet-spikes.

And I cannot remember when it was that there crept through our ranks the feeling that those helmets were not only in front of us, but in every direction round about, and that we were surrounded. I suppose it came from the sound of firing coming from so many directions.

It is at such a time that one feels of a helplessness. And the noise — did I tell you of the noise? There were single booms and crashes of volley firing, and then there would be just one great roaring, one great thundering that deafened you and in which you could not tell one sound from another.

There was smoke, smoke everywhere, and the ground would tremble when the cavalry made charge.

I think I do not remember very clearly all that happened in those long hours. I do not know how often we were near enough to fire. It seems to me now as if we were mostly under fire without returning it. But this I know: I went into battle that day with two hundred rounds, and long before I was wounded I had fired them all and was taking from the dead men.

Yes; there were dead men, dead men everywhere, and we did not think of them unless they could give us ammunition. Even I, a soldier in his first battle, did not think of them. For a little while you may think of them, and avoid them, but soon you will entirely forget.

They say that Givonne was the centre of our position. Perhaps. But I only know we stood there and fired, and that shells and bullets came among us, and that everywhere we saw those helmets.

For all of the Prussians wore those helmets. Hein! Those helmets! And there were Prussian officers and Prussian soldiers who wore spectacles. As if they were to fight with schoolteachers. But they did not fight like school teachers. They fought hard, like good soldiers.

The secret of the result, we are told, was the difference in generals. The French commanders may not have been traitors, but their incompetence led to the same result, while the German officers seemed superhuman. To quote:

They surround us, although we were so large an army. That Von Moltke, I think he was a devil. Seventy years old—seventy!—when he fought us. And he would not die. He lived to ninety, so they tell me. And they used to say he learned war in fighting

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A BY-LAW

A By-law to raise $45,000.00 additional for the protection of the foreshore of Dallas Road.

WHEREAS by a By-law, No. 731, entitled the Dallas Road Foreshore By-law, 1910, which received the assent of the electors on the 29th day of August, 1910, Debentures were ordered to be issued not exceeding in the whole the sum of $75,000, for the purpose of completing a permanent protection against the action of the sea on the foreshore beneath Dallas Road, commencing at a point approximately 700 feet easterly of where Montreal Street produced would touch the seashore; thence Easterly along the shore approximately 1640 feet to the Westerly limit of where Lewis Street produced would touch the seashore, protecting the said foreshore by means of a reinforced concrete wall, on plans approved by the Engineer of the Department of Lands and Works of the Province of British Columbia, and to extend from a solid foundation at approximately lowest tide to the height of the finished roadway on Dallas Road;

AND WHEREAS, in the said By-law it was estimated the work would cost $100,000.00, of which the City provided by the said By-law $75,000.00, and it was stated the Province of British Columbia had agreed to provide $25,000;

AND WHEREAS, the latter statement was inaccurate in that the Province of British Columbia was to provide for $20,000.00 in all;

AND WHEREAS, there has been certain extra work ordered, and in order to get a solid foundation it became necessary to excavate deeper than approximate lowest tide, as mentioned in the said by-law, and for other reasons it has been found that the sum voted by the electors was inadequate and that the sum of $45,000.00 is necessary now to be raised for the purpose of completing the said wall;

AND WHEREAS, the whole ratable land and improvements or real property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria according to the last revised assessment roll for the year 1911 was

AND WHEREAS, the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for the paying of the debt which will be created hereunder and the interest thereon, and for creating an annual sinking fund for the payment off of the said debt within fifty years, according to law, is $2,094.75;

AND WHEREAS, this By-law may not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council;

THEREFORE, the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of Debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $45,000.000, currency or sterling money, at the rate of 4.86 2-3 dollars to the one pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purposes and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the Mayor to cause any number of Debentures to be made, executed and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $45,000.00, either in currency or sterling money (at the rate aforesaid) each of the said Debentures being of the amount of $1,000.00 and all such Debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

It shall be lawful for the said Mayor in his discretion to alternately cause each of the said Debentures to be made, executed and issued for an amount of £100 sterling, and one if necessary for a less sum in sterling money to complete the authorized issue.

3. The said Debentures shall bear the date of the day after the final passing of this By-law, and shall be made payable in fifty years from said date, at such place either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain, or the United States of America, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signatures of the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed, lithographed or engraved.

4. The said Debentures shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly on the 21st day of January and the 21st day of July, at such place, either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain, or the United States of America, as may be expressed in the Debenture and Coupon.

5. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause the said Debentures and Interest Coupons, either or both, to be made payable at such place, either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain, or the United States of America, as may be desired.

6. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation to dispose of the said Debentures at a rate below par, and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out the sum so raised by the sale of the said Debentures all expense connected with the preparation and engraving or lithographing of the Debentures and Coupons, or any discount or commission, or other charges incidental to the sale of the said Debentures.

7. If deemed advisable by the Mayor, there shall, in the said Debentures be reserved to the Corporation the right upon any future consolidation of the Debentures indebtedness of the City substitute Debentures of such consolidation secured upon the credit of the city generally. Such consolidation Debentures shall contain the like covenants, conditions and restrictions as are contained in the Debentures issued in pursuance of this By-law, and in each Debenture issued hereunder a clause conditioned for such substitution may be inserted.

8. For the purpose of raising annually the required sum for the payment of the interest on the said Debentures during their currency, there shall be raised annually the sum of $1,800.50, and for the purpose of creating the sinking fund aforesaid for the payment off of the debt at maturity there shall be raised annually the sum of $294.75, and both the said sums shall be raised annually by a rate sufficient therefor on all ratable land and improvements or real property in the city of Victoria during the continuance of the said Debentures or any of them.

9. This By-law shall before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for in the Municipal Clauses Act, and shall take effect on the day after the final passing thereof.

10. This By-law may be cited as the "Dallas Road Foreshore Supplementary By-law, 1911."

Passed the Municipal Council the 3rd day of November, 1911.

TAKE NOTICE, that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at the Public Market Building, Cormorant Street, on Friday, the 17th day of November, 1911, that the poll will be kept open between the hours of 9 a. m. and 7 p. m., and that W. W. Northcott has been appointed Returning Officer of the said vote.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., November 4th, 1911.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT

That the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable:

1. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the east side of Rose street, between King's road and Bay street;

2. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Davie street, from Oak Bay avenue to Leighton road, and construct permanent sidewalks, with curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

3. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Leighton road, from its intersection with Fort street to Richmond avenue, and to construct a permanent sidewalk on the north side of said road from Fort street to Richmond avenue, and on the south side from Jubilee avenue to Richmond avenue, also to construct gutters on both sides of said road from Fort street to Richmond avenue;

4. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Amphion street, from Oak Bay avenue to Gonzales avenue, and construct permanent sidewalks of concrete on both sides of said street, with curbs and gutters, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

5. To grade, drain and pave with a light standard asphalt pavement Oswego street, from Simcoe street to Dallas road, and construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

6. To grade, drain and pave with a light standard asphalt pavement Menzies street, between Simcoe street and Dallas road, and construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, and a permanent sidewalk on the east side of said street between Niagara street and Simcoe street, also to construct lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

And that all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-Law, and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of this by-law, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said work, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Nov. 14th, 1911.

MUNICIPAL VOTERS' LIST, 1912

Notice to Executors

Since the executor or executrix of an estate, who has probate of a will, the will and probate thereof being registered in the Land Registry Office, is deemed to be the legal owner of the property of the estate, he or she is entitled to be put on the Voters' List as the owner of such property, unless it has been transferred by him or her to the lawful heir or heirs. Should such executor or executrix desire to qualify as voters, he or she may apply to the City Assessor during the month of November inst., to have his or her name placed on the Voters' List, providing it is not already on the list.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk's Office, C. M. C.
Victoria, B. C., Nov. 8th, 1911.

City of Victoria

A complete list of Local Improvement Works, authorized by By-Law, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

Municipal Notice

That the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable:

1. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Russell Street from Victoria Harbor to Esquimalt Road, and construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street; also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains; and remove poles, if necessary;

2. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Russell Street from Esquimalt Road to its northerly limit, and construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street; also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary.

3. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Griffiths Street, Victoria West, and construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street; also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

4. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Garbally Road, from the Gorge Road to the Selkirk Waters, also construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said Road, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

5. To grade, drain and rock surface Wilson Street, from Catherine Street to Dominion Road, and construct permanent sidewalks of concrete, with curbs, gutters and boulevards on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

6. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the south side of Vining Street, between Fernwood Road and Stannard Avenue.

7. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement, Empress Avenue, between Quadra Street and Cook Street, and construct permanent sidewalks of concrete, with curbs and gutters, and construct lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

8. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Haultain Street, from Fernwood Road easterly to its intersection with Third Street, and to construct permanent sidewalks on both sides of said street, with curbs and gutters, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

9. To light Johnson Street, from Government Street to Douglas Street, with electric light posts bearing cluster lights, and to construct the necessary conduits for carrying wires underground;

10. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement, Stannard Avenue, between Richardson Street and Fairfield Road, and construct permanent sidewalks of concrete on both sides of said Avenue, with curbs and gutters, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

11. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement, Arnold Avenue, from Richardson Street to Fairfield Road, and construct permanent sidewalks, curbs and gutters on both sides of said Avenue, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

12. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement, Chester Avenue from Fairfield Road to Oscar Street, and construct curbs, gutters and boulebards on both sides of said Avenue, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

13. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement, Boyd Street, from Niagara Street to Dallas Road, and construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

14. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement, Sylvia Street, from Boyd Street westerly, and construct permanent sidewalks, curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and remove poles, if necessary;

And that all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-law and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of this by-law upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said work, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas Street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Nov. 6th, 1911.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENT

TAKE NOTICE that the Corporation of the City of Victoria intend to pass a local improvement assessment by-law for each of the undermentioned streets, assessing upon the properties in the schedules hereinafter mentioned the sums of money for the length of time set opposite each said lot as follows:

Manchester Road from Burnside Road to the Gorge Road, Constructing Permanent Sidewalks on Both Sides With Curbs and Gutters, etc., and Grading and Draining Roadway.

NAME OF OWNER.	Sub-division.	Lot.	Block.	Section.	Feet Front.	Rate per Foot Front.	General Improvements.	Water Connections.	Total.	Ten Years' Annual Paym't.	Total Ten Years' Annual Paym't.
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	18	3	1-10	Burnside Ext.	64.	$4 99	$319 35	$10 00	$329 35	$40 60	$406 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	17	3	1-10	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	16	3	1-10	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	15	3	1-10	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	14	3	1-10	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	13	3	1-10	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	12	3	1-10	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	11	3	1-10	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	10	3	1-10	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	9	3	1-10	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	8	3	1-10	"	69.6	4 99	346 80	10 00	356 80	44 00	440 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	13	2	1-10	"	72.6	4 99	361 80	20 00	381 80	47 10	471 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	14	2	1-10	"	99.	4 99	494 00	20 00	514 00	63 40	634 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	28	1	1-10	"	64.9	4 99	323 10	10 00	333 10	41 10	411 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	29	1	1-10	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	30	1	1-10	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	31	1	1-10	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Elliott, V. A. G. et al	32	1	1-10	"	69.	4 99	344 30	10 00	354 30	43 70	437 00
Morris, Anna L.		9	6.8-16 et.	5	51.	4 99	254 50	10 00	264 50	32 60	326 00
Johns, A. & S.		10	6.8-16 et.	"	50.	4 99	249 50	10 00	259 50	32 00	320 00
Howes, Alice		8	3.8-16 et.	"	54.3	4 99	270 75	10 00	280 75	34 60	346 00
Childs, Sydney		7	3.8-16 et.	"	54.3	4 99	270 75	10 00	280 75	34 60	346 00
Dunford, J. O.		10	3.8-16 et	"	54.3	4 99	270 75	10 00	280 75	34 60	346 00
Dunford, J. O.		11	3.8-16 et.	"	54.3	4 99	270 75	10 00	280 75	34 60	346 00
McCollum, John		12	3.8-16 et.	"	54.3	4 99	270 75	10 00	280 75	34 60	346 00
Wilson, John J., Sr.		13	3.8-16 et.	"	54.3	4 99	270 75	10 00	280 75	34 60	346 00
Deacon, Charles S. F.		14	3.8-16 et.	"	60.	4 99	299 40	10 00	309 40	38 15	381 50
Plaxton, Chas. E., Jr.		15	2	"	60.	4 99	299 40		299 40	36 90	369 00
Whyte, Thomas A.		16	2	"	54.	4 99	269 45	10 00	279 45	34 45	344 50
Parsons, F. H.		17	2	"	54.	4 99	269 45		269 45	33 25	332 50
Bertram, Margaret		18	2	"	54.	4 99	269 45	10 00	279 45	34 45	344 50
Deacon, Mrs. A. H.		19	2.8-16 et.	"	54.	4 99	269 45		269 45	33 25	332 50
Deacon, Chas. J.		20	2.8-16 et.	"	54.	4 99	269 45		269 45	33 25	332 50
Fletcher, Moses H.		21	2.8-16 et.	"	54.	4 99	269 45		269 45	33 25	332 50
Deaville, John T.		22	2.8-16 et.	"	54.	4 99	269 45	10 00	279 45	34 45	344 50
Deaville, Blanche H.		23	2.8-16 et.	"	54.	4 99	269 45		269 45	33 25	332 50
Morris, Mrs. W.		pt. 24	2.8-16 et.	"	71.	4 99	354 30	10 00	364 30	44 90	449 00
Deaville, W. B.		pt. 24	2.8-16 et.	"	20.	4 99	99 80	10 00	109 80	13 55	135 50
Deaville, W. B.		2	2.8-16 et.	"	27.	4 99	134 70	10 00	144 70	17 85	178 50
Parker, James		1	2.8-16 et.	"	98.	4 99	489 00	10 00	499 00	61 55	615 50
					2233.3		$11,144 05	$360 00	$11,504 05	$1,418 60	$14,186 00
							Amount payable by City		2,788 80		
									$14,292 85		

Constructing a Permanent Sidewalk of Concrete on the South Side of McClure Street, Between Vancouver Street and Cook Street, and of Constructing Curbs, Gutters and Boulevards on Both Sides of Said Street Between Vancouver Street and Cook Street.

NAME OF OWNER.	Sub. division.	Lot.	Block.	Feet Front.	Rate per Foot Front.	Total.	Ten Years' Annual Paym't.	Total Ten Years' Annual Paym't.
McQuade, L. G. (Est.)		1121	33	60.	$1 00	$60 00	$7 40	$74 00
Sanders, Wilhelmina		1130	33	60.	1 00	60 00	7 40	74 00
Heathfield, Mrs. S. L.		1131	33	60.	1 00	60 00	7 40	74 00
Courtney, Geo. L.		1552	33	60.	1 00	60 00	7 40	74 00
Courtney, Geo. L.		1653	33	60.	1 00	60 00	7 40	74 00
Dupont, Clara Elizabeth		1652	33	60.	1 00	60 00	7 40	74 00
Dupont, Clara Elizabeth		1651	33	60.	1 00	60 00	7 40	74 00
Dupont, Clara Elizabeth		1650	33	60.	1 00	60 00	7 40	74 00
Le Maistre, Lucy H.		pt. 1649	33	60.	1 00	60 00	7 40	74 00
Le Maistre, Lucy H.		pt. 1648	33	60.	1 00	60 00	7 40	74 00
Langton, H. F.		1659	34	60.	2 25	135 00	16 65	166 50
Langton, H. F.		1658	34	60.	2 25	135 00	16 65	166 50
Jackson, R. E. (Est.)		1657	34	60.	2 25	135 00	16 65	166 50
Johnston, John Hugh		1656	34	60.	2 25	135 00	16 65	166 50
Bagshawe, Frances V.		1655	34	60.	2 25	135 00	16 65	166 50
Bagshawe, Frances V.		1654	34	60.	2 25	135 00	16 65	166 50
Jackson, R. E. (Est.)		1134	34	60.	2 25	135 00	16 65	166 50
Jackson, R. E. (Est.)		1133	34	60.	2 25	135 00	16 65	166 50
Smith, E. J. C.		1132-5						
	1	1148-9	34	34.	2 25	76 50	9 45	94 50
Steele, Asa B.	6	1148-9	34	86.	2 25	193 50	23 85	238 50
				1200		$1,950 00	$240 50	$2,405 00
				City's share		484 75		
						$2,434 75		

AND FURTHER take notice that the Court of Revision for the trial of complaints and appeals against the assessment so proposed to be made, will be held Friday, 8th day of December, 1911, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Council Chamber in the City Hall, corner of Douglas and Pandora streets, in the City of Victoria, B. C., and any notice of appeal from each intended assessment must be served upon the undersigned at least eight days prior to such sitting.

November 16th, 1911.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

WET WEATHER SHOES AT CUT PRICES

THE OLD COUNTRY SHOE STORE Has a reputation for solid leather waterproof boots and shoes. Another shipment just arrived and as we are already overloaded with stock we must cut the price and get them out quickly. Small profits and quick returns is our motto **SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY**

MEN'S STRONG WATERTIGHT WORKING BOOTS, with double soles. Made of good plump stock. A splendid wet weather boot. Regular $3.00. Saturday price **$1.95**

MEN'S STRONG TAN GRAIN WORKING BOOTS, with double soles, wide toes. Special price **$3.50**

LADIES' FELT SLIPPERS. Prices, $1.25, $1 and **55c**

LADIES' BOX CALF BLUCHERS, with double soles, Weston's make. Regular $3.00. Saturday ... **$1.95**

WOMEN'S RUBBERS, per pair, only **50c**

BOYS' STRONG SCHOOL BOOTS, solid leather. Special price **$1.25**

CHILDREN'S STRONG BOX CALF BOOTS, sizes 4 to 6, $1.25 values for **50c**

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MEN'S FELT AND CARPET SLIPPERS. Saturday **75c**

LADIES' ENGLISH MADE BOX CALF BOOTS, with double soles, medium toe and heels; $3.50 values. Saturday price **$2.25**

MEN'S RUBBERS, per pair **75c**

MEN'S SCOTCH GRAIN HIGH CUT BOOTS, watertight tongues to tops; double soles. Solid leather all through. Regular $5. Saturday price **$2.95**

A few odd lines of Boots in box calf and storm calf, standard screwed and Goodyear welts; $4 and $5 values. Saturday ... **$2.95**

The cheapest and largest shoe store in Victoria for reliable boots and shoes. Remember the address

635 to 637 Johnson St. **OLD COUNTRY SHOE STORE** *635 to 637 Johnson St.*

YOUNG GIRL IS SENT TO SALOON FOR BEER

Licensee Charged in Police Court With Sale to Minor—Decision Reserved

The right of a licensee to sell liquor to a minor under conditions where the minor is a messenger for an adult, formed the basis of a charge brought in the police court this morning before Acting-Magistrate C. J. Prior by the licensing inspector of Victoria against M. A. Hesson, licensee of the Leland saloon, Douglas street.

Whether there was a sale or gift and how far it relates in either case to the minor is the question which the magistrate hesitated to decide this morning and reserved his decision to plow through a mass of authorities which were quoted by R. C. Lowe, acting city prosecutor.

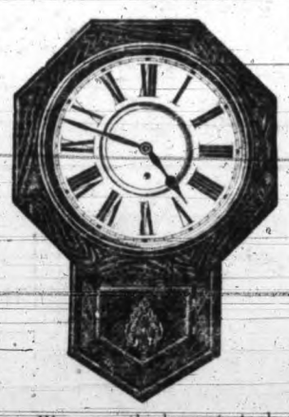
The facts were admitted that a child, six years of age, had been sent by her mother's permission on behalf of a Mrs. Mary Lash for two bottles of beer. The child was given 25 cents and at the Leland saloon received the beer and paid over the money. She then delivered the beer to Mrs. Lash.

Mr. Aikman, for the defence, argued along the lines that there was no sale to the little girl but that she was merely a conveying agent for the purchaser. If there was a sale then the sale was to the person who supplied the money and received the beer, and if the money was paid, which was proved, there was no gift or giving, as charged in the complaint. In neither case he held the girl did not receive the beer as a gift nor did she buy it, but was merely an intermediary agent.

The child went to the saloon on the request of Mrs. Lash, who first asked the girl's mother if her daughter might go. The mother gave permission and wrote a note to the saloonkeeper asking him to give the girl two bottles of beer. The child was given 25 cents with which to pay for it.

The decision will probably be given to-morrow morning.

OFFICE CLOCKS



We carry the largest stock of these in Victoria, principally of the two best American makes, i.e. ANSONIA and ZETH THOMAS.

These may be had in various finishes such as mission, golden oak, walnut, mahogany, cherry, dark oak, etc.

Prices begin at **$5.85** for style as illustrated. Other designs begin at **$2.70.**

Redfern & Son

Est. 1862. Sayward Building 1211-13 Douglas Street.

RESERVOIR REPAIRS.

Question Will Come Up at City Council This Evening.

The reservoir difficulty which has been a subject of periodical discussion and temporary remedy during the summer months will raise its grey head at the meeting of the city council called for to-night. City Engineer Smith who has been considering the matter closely for some time with a view to applying a permanent remedy will report to the council in connection with the offer of the Watson company, which concern expressed its readiness to undertake the work and guarantee it for five years for the sum of $19,650.

Many other offers have been placed before the engineer, to whom the matter was recently referred by the council, and while it is not regarded as likely that he will recommend the acceptance of any one offer, his submission of the situation, together with a list of the offers made, may facilitate the council in arriving at a decision that will lead to an early start upon the work of putting the tank in a proper state of repair.

SUCCESSFUL BAZAAR.

Was Held by Roman Catholic Altar Society Yesterday.

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Altar Society of the Roman Catholic cathedral a most successful tea and sale was held at the home of Mrs. W. Harris, 1120 Richardson street, yesterday. The candy table, laden with many boxes of home-made sweets, was stationed in the reception hall and presided over by Mesdames McDermott, Fraser, the Misses Fraser and Miss Nolte. The fancy work table, prettily decorated in green and white, was covered with the dainty needlework of the ladies, and was presided over by Mesdames Sehl, O'Connell and Hart. In the dining room, where refreshments were dispensed, cut flowers furnished the decorations, and those in charge were Mesdames Hallan, Carroll, Harlock, Sweeney, Nolte, and Mellor.

A splendid musical programme was enjoyed during the evening and a number of card tables furnished some interesting amusement. Over $187 was realized on the sale and the Altar Society are pleased at the success. They are very grateful to Mrs. W. Harris, who so kindly placed her home at their disposal.

"CAT" FOR ROBBER.

Vancouver, Nov. 17.—Five years' imprisonment and twelve lashes was the sentence imposed yesterday on Clarence Thompson, who robbed an elderly man, E. M. Hall, of $150 during a walk home after they had made acquaintance on the street. Thompson struck his companion on the head, rendering him unconscious. When Hall recovered the money was gone. Thompson declared that he knew nothing of it and that Hall had been hit on the head by a falling brick.

LOST GOODS FORM A CAUSE FOR ACTION

Claim of Vancouver Firm Against Local Dry Goods Store is Dismissed

The point of liability of the consignor for goods held to be lost in transit and not in the consignee when received by the consignee was raised in the county court yesterday when Johnston Brothers, Ltd., of Vancouver, sued Mrs. J. E. Elliott, proprietress of the dry-goods store on Fort street, to recover value of a part shipment of goods bought from the firm and shipped from Vancouver to Victoria.

The consignment was shipped and when it reached Mrs. Elliott part was missing. She refused to pay for the missing goods until delivery of them or of others to fill the order had been made. The consignor urged that the goods had been lost in transit and that she should enter a claim against the transportation company.

On a previous occasion Mrs. Elliott had similar trouble and refused payment. The same request, that she make a claim against the shipping company was made. She did so and the claim was paid. She then paid the consignor. On another occasion part of her purchase was not in the cases on arrival here, and Mrs. Elliott on a visit to Vancouver found the missing goods in the plaintiff's store.

On the loss under which the action was brought Mrs. Elliott resisted the claim and refused to consider the matter until she received delivery of the order.

Judge Lampman dismissed the action with costs against Johnston Brothers, Limited, and set to-morrow morning for taxation of costs. Frank Higgins appeared for Mrs. Elliott and Mr. Lawson for the plaintiffs.

In the county court this morning Ernest Kennedy, a broker, was the successful defendant in a suit to claim commission for stock sold. The suit was brought by a salesman named Hoyle, who also claimed salary.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wood, of Vancouver, have arrived in the city.

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Lieut. Col. Nicholls, of Bickley, England, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

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Dr. A. Robillard, of Penticton, has arrived at the Dominion hotel on a brief visit.

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C. C. Worsfold, of the Dominion Department of Public Works, is in the city on official business.

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H. F. Cook, of Boston, Mass., has arrived in the city, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

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At the Westholme hotel are E. D. Benjamin, of Brookfield, N. S., and W. B. Armstrong, of Truro, N. S.

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H. C. Hall has joined the legal firm of Tait & Brandon, of this city. Mr. Hall is a Victoria boy, who, until recently, has been practicing his profession in Nelson.

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Mrs. R. C. St. John, and Mrs. A. M. Kitching, of Winnipeg, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Brumpton, of Red Deer, Alberta, have arrived at the Dominion hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Drummond, of Three Rivers, Que., arrived in Vancouver from the east and after visiting friends and relatives there will come over to this city for a week's visit.

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J. A. McEachran, of Spokane, has arrived at the Empress hotel.

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J. B. Davis, of Nanaimo, has arrived at the King Edward hotel.

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William Stewart, general superintendent for British Columbia for the Federal Life Insurance company of Canada, is staying at the Dominion hotel. He is making one of his periodical business trips to the captial city.

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Mrs. M. A. Wylde and Miss Williams are down from Shawnigan Lake to attend the Native Sons' ball to-night and are guests of Mrs. G. C. Mesher, Dallas road.

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W. J. Sanderson, of London, Ont., is spending the winter here. He is a guest at the Dominion hotel in company with his brothers Robert and John Sanderson, of Eburne, B. C.

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Recent arrivals at the Westholme hotel include Walter C. Keable, of Lytton, A. M. Auley, of Vernon, and A. E. J. Charlesworth, of Crofton.

—Xmas presents, in silver, china, glassware, cutlery, toys, books, fancy goods. All the latest novelties arriving daily at the Sandringham, 729 Fort street.

Making a Long Story Short

It is needless for us to take up a whole lot of space telling you of how rapidly our business is growing. It just means this, that we are selling the right goods at the right prices. It has been our custom since this store opened to give week-end specials. This week-end we are going to give some real extra specials. For instance, we are going to sell Fit-Rite Suits, with our regular guarantee, at prices that will astonish you.

Read this List of Specials

We have made a special buy of 25 Men's Suits with "Fit-rite" label in the pocket, which is a guarantee of quality and make. On Saturday only, we are going to sell this special lot at **$14.50.**

We have another lot of 29 Men's Suits, made of English worsteds and imported tweeds, made in the latest styles. Values $20.00 and $22.50. Saturday Special **$16.50.**

Our Overcoats

At $15, $17.50, $20 and $25 ar wonders. See them.

A REAL CAP SPECIAL

20 DOZ. MEN'S TWEED CAPS, all the new shapes. Values 65c, 75c, $1.00. Saturday Special **45c**

Interesting Reading FOR LADIES

On Saturday and Monday only, we are going to sell every Ladies' Fur in the store at cost price. Here is a list that will give you an idea of what we are doing:

ONE NORTHERN MINK STOLE, regular $120.00—Saturday **$79.75**
ONE NORTHERN MINK STOLE, regular $195.00—Saturday **$146.50**
ONE NORTHERN MINK PILLOW MUFF, regular $95.00—Saturday **$57.00**
ONE NORTHERN CRUSHED MINK MUFF, regular $78.00. Saturday **$49.00**
ONE MUFF, DELORAINE MINK, regular $45.00. Saturday **$27.50**
ONE STOLE, DELORAINE MINK, regular $49.00. Saturday **$31.00**
ONE WOLVERINE BLACK MUFF, regular $14.00. Saturday **$9.00**
ONE WOLVERINE BLACK STOLE, regular $11.00. Saturday **$6.75**

See our windows and be convinced that our furs are A1 quality.

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THE CONFERENCE ENDS IN BANQUET

VISITING DELEGATES DINED LAST EVENING

Mayor Lee Makes Plea for Greater Public Spirit in Municipal Life

The B. C. Union of Municipalities concluded its conference here by a banquet at the Y. M. C. A. auditorum last evening, over which Mayor Morley presided, and at which the government was represented by Hon. Dr. Young, and the city council, who acted as hosts, by Aldermen Bishop, Gleason, Langley, Moresby, Okell and Peden, and City Clerk Dowler. The ladies' auxiliary of the association had provided a sumptuous repast, and later four toasts were honored.

After the loyal toast the Mayor of Victoria rose to welcome the company, and announced apologies from the premier, the president of the council, Hon. A. E. McPhillips, K. C., M. P. P.; F. Davey, M. P. P., and H. B. Thomson, M. P. P. He was glad to be able to welcome the delegates, as such gatherings as this just concluded formed a pleasing break in the round of municipal life. He could only hope such occasions would be repeated in the future, and that they would be in health and strength to enjoy them. After referring to the fact that they were aiding one of the most excellent institutions in the province by meeting there, he called on Mayor Planta, president of the union, to propose the toast of the "B. C. Union of Municipalities."

Mayor Planta said the union was fulfilling a useful purpose in the municipal life of the province. The organization was formed in New Westminster in 1905 for the purpose of taking up matters, more particularly of legislation, affecting the welfare of the municipalities, in order to present them to the government in concrete form, and in a manner in which the government would be able to understand them and deal with them. From that small beginning they had now reached 55 delegates, representing nearly all the municipalities in the province. When they first organized they were looked upon by the government as a body of men who were gathered to meddle in other people's affairs, but he was sure that feeling had entirely changed to one of great cordiality on the part of the government. The government now regarded it as a very useful organization. Without any definite plan the governments of the past had received requests for amendments to the municipal law of the province which would only have made their position more ambiguous, but with the union they knew the needs of the municipalities along regular lines. It was unreasonable to expect the government to accede to every request, but at any rate their desires had a chance of expression.

Mayor Lee, of New Westminster, replied for the union, in the absence of Mayor Taylor, of Vancouver. In the course of an interesting speech he said they could not exaggerate the importance of the union, because it touched more closely the life of the people than even the work of the legislative assembly. He believed they had all received benefit from that gathering. The danger of their position was that they entered a council for a brief period, and after one or two years often went out of office, and no general attempt was made to bring up their communities to the general high level of proper administration.

The result often was that when they had served their term they felt their responsibilitie cease, and that they approached the problem from the standpoint of personal ambition, with the outcome that instead of working for the years ahead they were content to deal only with the present. Instead of seeking to leave their districts in better condition at the end of their term, they said to themselves it was no business of theirs what happened when they were out of office. They must seek to obtain a continuity of policy, as they had too narrow a vision very often, and its influence was shown in their public actions. They, as an union, were acting as advisers to the government in the problems which had to be faced.

Reeve J. W. Weart, of Burnaby, also briefly replied. He pointed out the difficulty in which a suburban municipality like his own stood when they had to approximate to the city conditions in the way of roads and utilities, because the residents were mostly city people, used to all the comforts of city life. He intimated that the government would be approached for further assistance towards the trunk thoroughfare between Vancouver and New Westminster, which passed through his district.

Alderman Moresby submitted "The Provincial Legislature," and as chief factor of the Native Sons he dealt with the history of the province from 1849 to 1871, the year of confederation, and with the early legislatures of British Columbia. Hon. Dr. Young and F. J. Mackenzie, M. P. P., replied.

The minister, who spoke briefly owing to a severe cold, said the government never lacked advisers, and the difficulty was to know how best to do justice to all, but he believed that the union was of real assistance in reducing the wants of the municipalities to a concrete form, and he could assure them of the assistance of the government in the objects they sought. The union was the adviser of the government in municipal matters, and its requests would always receive just consideration. (Applause.)

After Mr. Mackenzie had replied, as a member of the municipal committee, Mayor Planta introduced a further toast, to the Victoria council as their hosts, which was supported by Mayor Hamilton, of Revelstoke, and Mayor Morley replied, as did also Alderman Okell, who has been principally responsible for the banquet arrangements.

During the evening a musical programme, arranged by Mr. Nagel, was rendered, which included songs by W. Galt, J. H. Griffiths and W. J. Dowler, who gave "The Men of the Northern Zone," an original composition.

Our new Fancy Cheviot Overcoats in fly front and button through models are "dandies." $15.00 up. Fit-Reform. Allen & Co., 904 Government St.

Dr. Merriam's Lecture.—Dr. C. Hart Merriam, formerly chief of the department of ornithology and mammalogy of the U. S. department of agriculture, Washington, D. C., who is now residing in California and is coming here to deliver a lecture before the Natural History Society, has not yet been able to fix a date, and it will not in consequence be given in connection with the next regular meeting on Monday evening.

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SALT WATER SYSTEM RESPONDS TO TEST

English Manufactured Hydrants Prove Satisfactory to Fire Chief and Electrician

The test of the salt water hydrants, annouced in the Times issue of Wednesday, took place yesterday afternoon before a large gathering of spectators, and proved itself in satisfactory results to the Fire Chief, the city electrician, and the citizens, all of whom were particularly and vitally interested in the tryout. Expectations in regard to the capacity of the pumps were more than realized and that, too, without straining it to the limit, and, generally speaking, the system earned its certificate of efficiency and reliability. Many of the delegates of the B. C. Municipalities convention witnessed the test, and all whose opinions were asked on the subject expressed themselves as delighted that Victoria, the capital city of the province, should be so far ahead in the matter of fire-fighting equipment.

Wharf street was the scene of the tryout, and when the brigade left the station to the accompaniment of the syren, those who had intimation of the function at once made for the spot in order to secure a good view of the performance. The exact point on Wharf street was below Broughton street where the play of water would not interfere with or damage any business property. The Mather Platt Company, of Manchester, England, is the firm which manufactured the pumps, and the results of yesterday's tests are splendid testimonials to their workmanship. They were introduced after the instruments supplied by the D'Olier Engineering company, of Philadelphia, had been rejected as unsuitable for the situation. The specified pressure of the new pumps is 150 pounds but yesterday afternoon it went as high as 165 without strain, and it is claimed that even more can yet be got out of them.

As a safeguard against emergency both steam and electrically driven pumps have been installed. In the event of one unit failing to act the other can be relied upon, and should the circumstances of the case demand it, all of the pumps can be operated at once. A full test of the entire system will probably be held shortly.

Eight lines of hose were laid yesterday, four from the twelve-inch main at the corner of Government and Fort street, each 560 feet in length; two from the hydrant at the corner of Wharf and Broughton streets from an eight-inch main; and two from a hydrant further north on Wharf street. In all 3,600 feet of hose were laid. With the eight streams, each from a one and one-eighth inch nozzle, a pressure of seventy-five pounds to the inch at the nozzle was secured with a pressure of 160 pounds at the hydrant.

Fire Chief Davis was highly satisfied with the test, and he is now regarding it as one of the best departments of the fire-fighting system at the service of the city. City Electrician Hutchison is also satisfied with the work of the hydrants. He is confident also that that can do still better should the occasion arise.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Nov. 17.—5 a.m.—The barometer remains abnormally low over this province, and southerly gales are reported on the Coast and Sound. The weather is now mild in this province and Alberta, and zero temperatures continue in Manitoba.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday.

Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to high southerly and westerly winds, unsettled and mild, with rain.

Lower Mainland—Winds mostly southerly and westerly, fresh to strong on the Gulf, unsettled and mild, with rain.

Reports at 5 a. m.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.13; temperature, 51; minimum, 48; wind, 18 miles S. W.; rain, .12; weather, rain.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 42; minimum, 38; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .78; weather, rain.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 28; minimum, 26; wind, calm; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.38; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.66; temperature, 26; minimum, 18; wind, 6 miles S.W.; weather, part cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 8 below; minimum, 8 below; wind, calm; weather, part cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Thursday:

Temperature.

Highest	50
Lowest	38
Average	44

Rain, .06 inch.

General state of weather, showery.

URGED TO WIND UP LABORS.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 17.—The county grand jury which was called January 8 to investigate the conduct of the Seattle police department and the administration of former Mayor Hiram C. Gill and Chief of Police Charles W. Wappenstein, was summoned before Judge Main in the criminal division of the superior court yesterday and instructed to wind up its labors at once. Judge Main said he knew of no further business for the jury beyond the usual report.

On the many indictments returned by the jury, the only one that has resulted in a trial was that of Wappenstein, who was convicted of accepting bribes and was sentenced to from three to ten years in the state prison.

FIRE ALARMS

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5—Menzies and Michigan Sts.
6—Menzies and Niagara Sts.
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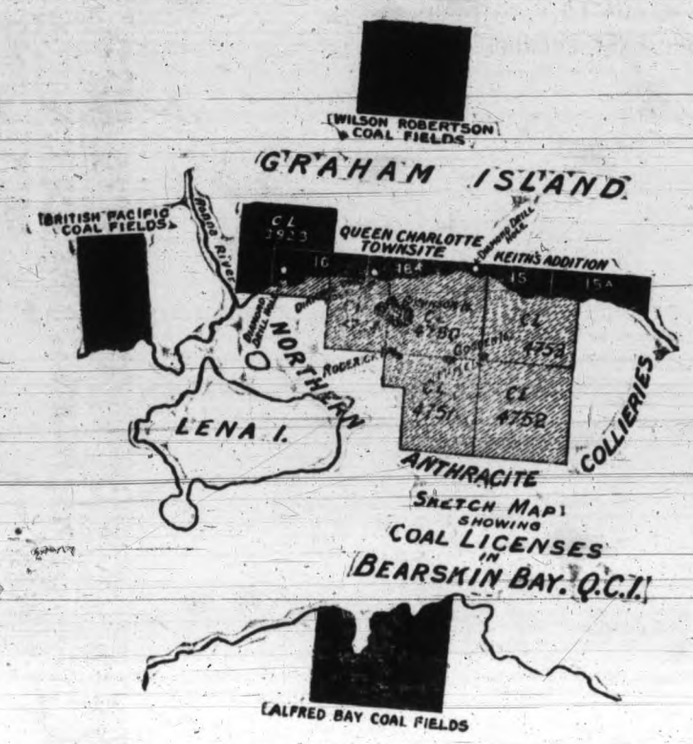

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LEAGUE FORMED BY ICE HOCKEY TEAMS

Four Amateur Victoria Clubs Will Compete for the Dudley Cup at Oak Bay Rink

At a meeting of delegates from the North Ward, J. B. A. A., Victoria West and Prairie clubs, held in the office of Griffin, Reynolds & Co., Times Building, last evening, the organization of the Victoria Amateur Ice Hockey Association was completed. An early meeting will be held to draw up a schedule.

The choice of the following officers, already made, was ratified by the association: President, W. R. Reynolds; secretary-treasurer, L. A. Campbell; board of directors, G. Gunn, C. Brunet, Frank Galliher and C. Brown.

Percy Richardson offers to present a cup to be known as the Dudley Cup to be competed for annually by the teams in the senior city league, the officers of the association to act as trustees of the cup.

Mr. Richardson was thanked for his generosity and for the good wishes expressed in his letter.

FEDERATION OF LABOR.

Socialists Begin "Insurgent" Movement Against Present Administration.

Atlantic, Ga., Nov. 17.—Socialists in the American Federation of Labor convention have begun their "insurgent" movement against the present administration. The first open signs of hostility appeared to-day in the printed record which showed a resolution, proposing that the convention adopt the initiative and referendum in the election of officers. As it will require a constitutional amendment to accomplish this, the sponsors of the proposition are not sanguine of its adoption.

The resolution to appropriate $50,000 for the defence of the McNamaras was introduced by Delegate A. J. Gallagher, of California last night, ten minutes before midnight, the last hour at which resolutions could be offered. It was referred to the committee on precedents for report. It is regarded as almost certain that it will precipitate a big fight on the floor.

Another matter of interest pending is the probability of Mr. Gompers and fourteen other labor leaders now members of the National Civic Federation, being asked to sever their connection with that body.

The adjustment committee will hear arguments on the recommendation of the executive council that the carpenters and joiners and the steam and hot water fitters and helpers, suspended from the building trades department of the federation last year, be re-instated.

LOCAL BOYS SEEK NAVAL CADETSHIPS

Examinations Conclude To-day in Many Centres for Entrance Into College

In twenty-six centres throughout the Dominion of Canada the examinations for twenty-five vacancies in naval cadetship at the Halifax college concluded to-day. Here in Victoria there were three candidates, and the example of Maitland Dougall's success at the last examination, when he came out first, spurred on the local boys to success, and to secure a place among the large number of competitors.

Rev. Dr. Campbell has had charge of the local tests, the papers being written at the public works department in the G. P. O. The subjects of examination include Geography, Arithmetic, French, English, History, Mathematics, Latin, Elementary Science, and German, thus assuring a satisfactory test.

For the civil service, outside division, preliminary and qualifying examinations have been held this week under Dr. Campbell's charge, the preliminary, for which there were three candidates, being held on Tuesday, the subjects being Penmanship, Spelling, Arithmetic, and Dictation, and there were also six candidates for the qualifying examination. The subjects in which they were examined included Geography, Arithmetic, Spelling, Dictation, Composition, History and Transcription.

The results will be known about the middle of next month in each case.

MONUMENTAL WORK ON AMERICAN CITIES

Application From Editor of Ten Volume Series on Historical Journeys

The growth of an historical sentiment in this continent, which has been marked by the great increase in the bibliography of the historical works dealing with this province and the Pacific Northwest, has led to a number of works being planned, and of this character is that edited by Francis Trevelyan Miller, of Hartford, Connecticut, which is to deal exhaustively with historical journeys in North and South America, and is to consist of ten volumes.

Mr. Miller, who is editor-in-chief of this great monumental work, has written to Mayor Morley for a mass of information, some of which belongs rather to a publicity bureau, and the mayor has therefore sent it on to the Vancouver Island Development League, who will deal with it accordingly. There is, however, a great deal of information sought which belongs rather to the province of the provincial librarian, who has under his charge the original material to which Mr. Miller wants access.

A feature of the recent letters to the league are the requests for information from members of professions for opportunities on Vancouver Island. Among this list are letters from a doctor in Swinton, Manchester, a legal man in Johannesburg, who is a Transvaal barrister-at-law, and a surveyor and architect in Britol, England. In the latest mail is also another letter from the Transvaal, from a storekeeper in Germiston, who wished to come to Canada.

Will Wait on Council.—At the meeting of the city council this evening a deputation from the Trades and Labor council will urge the city fathers to immediately make operative the minimum wage of $3 per day for all city laborers, which has been pushed from time to time by Alderman W. F. Fullerton, but has not yet been formally approved.

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Department of the Naval Service

A competitive examination will be held in November next at the examination centres of the Civil Service Commission for the entry of Naval Cadets for the Naval Service of Canada; there will be 25 vacancies.

Candidates must be between the ages of 14 and 16 years on the 1st of January next; must be British subjects and must have resided, or their parents must have resided in Canada for two years immediately preceding the examination; short periods of absence abroad for purpose of education to be considered as residence.

Successful candidates will join the Royal Naval College at Halifax in January next; the course at the College is two years and the cost to parents, including board, lodging, uniform and all expenses, is approximately $400 for the first year and $350 for the second year.

On passing out of College, Cadets will be rated Midshipmen, and will receive pay at the rate of $2 per diem.

Parents of intending candidates should make application to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Ottawa, before 15th October next.

Further information can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Department of Naval Service, Ottawa.

Unauthorized publication of this notice will not be paid for.

G. J. DESBARATS,
Deputy Minister of the Naval Service.
Department of the Naval Service,
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HINDU PROBLEM IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Montreal Gazette Makes National and Imperial Review of Question

A handsomely printed paper named "The Aryan," which is published at Victoria, B. C., is devoted to "the spread of the Eastern view of Truth, the interests of the Hindus in the British Dominions, and a study of the causes of the present unrest in India," says an editorial in the Montreal Gazette. One of the mottos to which the reader's attention is drawn on turning the cover page is a saying of Queen Victoria's: "We hold ourselves bound to the natives of our Indian territories by the same obligations of duty which bind us to all our other subjects." The first article in this (the third) number is the Hindus' Appeal to H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught. It begins with a cordial welcome and then makes the statement that three Sikh gentlemen, who went to India from Vancouver to fetch over their wives and children, are prevented by some legal technicality from returning to their adopted homes. These gentlemen, we are told, served with credit in the Indian cavalry and hold landed property in Vancouver, B. C. They all hold important positions—one being a founder, one a missionary of the Sikh church in Vancouver, and another a director of the Guru Nanak Trust Co. We then come to an article of some length headed "British Justice," which is reproduced from The Week. Therein the bravery and humanity of the Sikh people during a most critical period of British rule in India and on more recent occasions is strongly attested. We are reminded that these are the men who are asking for simple British justice. Again in an article from the News-Advertiser, after the harshness of parting fathers of families from their wives and children is insisted on directly and indirectly, we are reminded that those who suffer this wrong are of the soldier race which formed the very backbone of the Empire in the struggle against the mutineers more than fifty years ago. A short and pithy article which is taken from the Allahabad Leader proposes to carry the war right into Africa by assuming in India towards the British the attitude that the colonies have assumed towards Hindus. What follows is in another tone. The Aryan, after quoting the language of Sir Kryshna Gupta in the Crystal Palace, prays that the God of nations may lead the British to a right sense of their duty towards India. And what is Sir Kryshna Gupta's plea? Under British rule, he urges, an ancient nation whose civilization antedates the first glimmerings of light among the peoples of Europe, had been gradually roused to a sense of its own greatness, and, while the best minds in the great Peninsula are convinced that India must seek her salvation under the fostering care and guidance of Great Britain, the goal to be kept in view is such autonomy as that which is enjoyed by the British Oversea Dominions.

Need we quote more? Need we remind Canadians, as they are here reminded, that the princes and soldiers of India were hailed with rapture by loyal Britons, whenever they appeared, even in pictures, during the joyous season of the coronation. Need we quote the suggestion of R. W. Clark, of Victoria, B. C., that the dominions should contribute to the cost of the coronation durbar in India? Mr. Clark has written to Lord Crewe protesting against the policy of imposing the whole expense on India. A more important suggestion is that the King or rather Emperor of India should mark that ceremony by removing restrictions on India immigration to New Zealand, Australia, South Africa and Canada. In fact, all the contents of the Aryan to which our attention is called have an importance that cannot be disputed. The first feeling of the educated non-Indian citizen of the Empire on reading the appeal of the Aryan for "British justice" is a feeling of very real sympathy. No one can have studied the history of the Punjaub even slightly without astonishment at the results of just and peaceful administration after a terrible struggle. As Hunter says, no more difficult work than the reduction of the Punjaub to order and content was ever accomplished by Englishmen. The credit is due to the Lawrences and their co-workers.

The rise of the Sikh power is one of the most remarkable developments in Indian annals. A pious Hindu, named Nanak, born near Lahore in 1469, preached religious reform and gathered about him a number of disciples. Notwithstanding persecution, the sect increased under his nine successors, and when the Mogul dominion declined, it became a powerful organization. The creation of the army, which fought so desperately in the two Sikh wars, was the work of Ranjit Sinh, who engaged European officers to teach it discipline. This transformed "Kahalsa" or church militant of freemen had, says Hunter, but one parallel for steadiness and religious fervor—the Ironsides of Cromwell. While Ranjit lived, the Sikhs were restrained from measuring their strength with the British. But after his death in 1839 and especially after the British disasters in Afghanistan, it was difficult to control them. For a time the European generals succeeded in carrying out Ranjit's policy. When they were dismissed the command was entrusted to popular favorites, the "Khalsa" was virtually doomed. The victors paid dearly for their triumph, but their loss was not without compensation. In the spring of 1849 the Punjaub became a British province. In 1857 the unwavering loyalty of the Sikhs won the admiration and gratitude of those whom it saved from destruction.

As our readers doubtless know, most of the Hindus of British Columbia are of Sikh origin. On that fact and all that it signifies the appeal of the Aryan is based. The very title of the paper is an appeal. It may not have the force to-day that it had fifty years ago, but the kindly word, "Indo-European," still means much. There is, indeed, a rival force which means much more. Empty and idle is the influence of the philosopher, the man of science, the moralist, when it is put in conflict with self-interest, with deep-seated prejudice, with the defensive instincts that prompt resistance to what is alien. Nor is it the average man alone who is swayed by such strong antipathies. The sage and the savant are not always in favor of the all-nations-one-blood doctrine. They find other scripture more suitable for the conditions that they know. In his latest book Dr. Crolet pronounces judgment on the "mixing of antagonistic races, colors or creeds," whether by intermarriage or merely by their presence on the same soil, as the greatest political curse that can befall a nation. However smoothly things may seem to go for a while, the end is sure to be damnation. Others condemn such a judgment as unchristian and even inhuman and point to the wealth of unused land in the great Dominions in support of the charge. Between such divergences can we find a reasonable mean—a conclusion which, while not unfair to our own people, will not be wholly regardless of the claims of our Indian fellow-subjects and especially of the sons of those who stood by us in our day of peril? If such a mean can be found, it is the duty of our statesmen to find and apply it.

THE PASSING SHOW

The Empress Theatre.

When many years ago brigands in Lombardy attacked Luigi Dell 'Oro, who as a boy was known as a musical prodigy, the talented musician who is appearing at the Empress theatre this week giving a repertoire of musical selections on the harmonica and harmonapeda, gave up the piano in favor of the instruments which have won him fame. At every performance he gives music-lovers a treat, and that his work finds ample appreciation is shown by the outbursts of applause and many encores to which he is obliged to respond.

The La Verne Barber players, who appear in a rural play, "The Man Who Knew," at the Empress theatre, have a capital vehicle for their work. There are four characters in the little play, and each one is well portrayed. The sketch tells a charming story of country life with the necessary love episode woven in.

MISS MONDANE PHILLIPS

The Girl With Many Voices at the Empress Theatre.

Burgos and Clara, two of the most versatile vaudevillians who have played here for some time, give a wide assortment of feats in their act at the Empress. Starting with an exhibition of rifle shooting in which Burgos shoots out a number of small electric lights, they go on to give an exhibition of lariat throwing, and the many things they can do with a rope shows their skill. The act closes with some head balancing and slack rope work.

Miss Mondane Phillips, "The Girl with the Four Voices," contributes a good specialty. She has four songs and each is sung in a different voice. Miss Phillips was formerly a member of the Havana Musical Comedy Company, and recently went into vaudeville.

Bernard & Arnold, two good comedians, recently from the halls of New York, have a good dialogue. They keep the audience laughing while they are on the stage. The Empresscope offers some good pictures, notably that of "The Bungalow Craze."

The Majestic.

With the scornful laugh of denial still on her lips, pretty Nettie Goodman saw her patient, loving old mother struck down by an automobile, and forgetful of the false pride that a moment before had led her to deny to her fashionable escort that she knew the shabby, patient toiler, she threw herself upon the pavement beside the sufferer. It was a terrible wakening to her better self, but it won for her the love of the young man who had before found her only shallow and vain, a pretty little creature of pretence. This powerful moral lesson forms the theme of "Her Awakening," a splendid product of the biograph studio, to be shown at the Majestic to-day and Saturday. On the same bill is "The Revenue Man and the Girl," a very tense and dramatic story of the Kentucky mountains. "Two White Roses," a light comedy. "The Grand Chartreuse," a beautiful outdoor picture, showing the scenery along one of the marvellous French mountain roads. "Ezra and the Fortune Teller" is a trick film of merit.

SURRENDER TO POLICE.

Salem, Ore., Nov. 16.—Informing the police that he had embezzled $1,000 from a London bank for which he had worked twelve years and inquiring whether or not they had missed him at home or wanted him back, William Henry Flynn, alias Hector Flemming, gave himself up to the officers of Salem to-day. He had recently been released, he said, from the penitentiary at Walla Walla.

CAR SHORTAGE.

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 16.—Car shortage reports from the Canadian Northwest are coming in daily. Winnipeg wired to-day that the situation in Western Canada was so acute that the elevators have been forced to close, as they have no way of shipping out the wheat they have already taken in. Seventy-five points, according to the Winnipeg report, have no cars in sight. It is estimated that the receipts at Winnipeg would be 2,000 cars a day if the railroads could furnish the cars.

CHARGE AGAINST ENGINEER.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 16.—Scores of witnesses, including about all the living councilmen who have served in the city council for the past 20 years, appeared this morning to testify in regard to the charges preferred against former City Engineer R. H. Thomson by Councilman A. J. Goddard. The charges against Mr. Thomson concerns city engineering propositions.

Since the original charges were made by Mr. Goddard, a supplemental explanation touching the Cedar river projected dam had been demanded by Mr. Goddard.

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Gordon Head Waterfront

This property, known as the "Stannard Ranch" consists of 20 acres, more or less, being a portion of lot 5, section 67, registered map 774, Victoria district, and is situate 5½ miles from Victoria City Hall on the waterfront of Cordova Bay and known as "Gordon Head."

There is 805 ft. of waterfront, the only waterfront property in that immediate neighborhood for sale at any figure. Some 600 to 700 fruit trees in full bearing, a well kept kitchen garden, the asparagus bed alone netting $190 last summer. Chicken runs, small stable, small house, numerous small fruits; about 7 or 8 acres in excellent condition of cultivation, the balance slightly timbered and affording a parklike appearance to the property where it adjoins the roadway, and providing good wood for the house and all heating purposes. The government driveway around Victoria city and invironments passes immediately behind the property and is called the "New Road." Land here and back of the waterfront is held at $2,000 per acre. This is the suburban waterfront homesite property par excellence near town. The soil is good, no rock, and the view across the Cordova Bay to the Islands of Sydney, St. James and San Juan with Mount Baker, 14,000 feet high, and the Olympic Range is unsurpassed. For private residence or residences this is acknowledged to be without a rival anywhere near Victora. Cordova Bay affords A1 anchorage and all boats from the Northern B. C. and Alaska points, Vancouver Island and Vancouver city pass within half a mile, making the view not only beautiful at all times of the year, but continually animated and choice. The adjoining waterfront on either side is not for sale, farthur to the East and South we know of but one small piece of waterfront, 160 ft., which is wild and uncultivated, and is held at $2,700 per acre, not to be compared in any way with "Stannard's Ranch."

The owner wants $1,800 per acre for the 20 acres or will sell 5, 10 or 15 acres at $2,000 per acre; one-third cash, balance one and two years at seven per cent.

Motor car takes 20 to 25 minutes coming to town. In fact many business people live out at Gordon Head and motor to business in the morning and home again for dinner.

The road to Gordon Head is excellent as are all the many scenic roads around Victoria. This property will easily sell in small blocks for $3,000 to $3,500 per acre in a year's time or next summer, and we can heartily recommend it for an ideal homesite. It is well known that the B. C. Electric will be running cars out there before long, perhaps next year, when lots at $1,000 each will be good sellers.

FRENCH SOLDIER'S MEMORY OF SEDAN

(Continued from page 14.)

for the Turks against other savages, when he was young.

But yet, although he was so old and would not die, and although he learned war under the Turks, I do not say that he ever did as a soldier ought not to do. No! I was a soldier myself, although but of one battle, and I would not do a soldier an injustice. It was only because he beat us that we hated him.

I would tell you all that I remember of most interest. But is it interesting to tell you that shells burst and that our ranks thinned and closed up, and that I felt more and more that we were to be beaten?

I would have wept, but had too much to do in firing and in watching the lines of helmets.

It is that a soldier gets full of an excitedness. You do things, and you scarcely know that you do them or why.

It was early that day that my comrade was killed. And he jumped up twice. So—so! And he fell flat on his face. I turned him over, and my captain said: "No time for that. You are a young soldier or you would know there is no time for that."

I told you that I was glad and eager to fight. And it was so. But when the first cannon fired that morning, so early, I felt a tremble as if one has a frozen inside. And I think it is always so. Men have told me, brave men, men of many battles, that the first shooting gives you a frozen inside as if somebody scares you. But it soon passes, and you think not of it again.

And I think that most soldiers fire at a line of men and do not try to pick out single soldiers. Unless they are sharpshooters, or their cartridges run short. For when cartridges are running short a man takes individual aim.

My wound came about half through the afternoon. It was as if a hammer struck me in the breast, sharp and hard. I still fired—once, twice, I cannot tell—and my arm could not raise my rifle, and I knew that I was to fight the Prussians no more that day.

I was wounded in the leg too, but that I did not know, as I walked off, stumbling.

When a man is wounded so that he cannot fight he thinks only of getting to the rear. And I do not think it is a cowardice. He can do no more at the front. He is in the way if he cannot fight. But at the rear he may be saved and be ready to fight again.

I walked off, stumbling—so!—and I felt tired and lay down, and I wept. Yes I lay there, weeping, for I thought, France is lost! And then it came to me that I was so young to be wounded and perhaps die but I am sure I did not weep for that. And I thought of home and I longed to be there, for the picture of home came to me.

Then I was frightened. Yes. For I was no longer fighting, when a man does not care, but was lying helpless, and it came to me that if there were a charge the soldiers might go right over me and never notice me. If the cavalry should charge, the horses would stamp on my face. Or perhaps the great artillery wheels would come crushing.

It was terrible to think such things. And shells were bursting near me. And a man is not himself when he is badly wounded and lies on the ground. I tried to get up again, but I could not. I must lie there.

Two other wounded men went near me, and I must have called to them, for if I had not they would not have stopped. They were good men, for on a battlefield you do not stop when the wounded call. They helped me on with them, and after a while we came to a house, and we went in and I lay on the floor, and again it came to me that I was young to be shot, and again I thought of home.

But I would gladly—you will believe me?—I would gladly have gone back into the battle if I could have fought. Yes, gladly.

We wounded soldiers, lying there—for others had also crept to the house—we talked of the battle lost. For we thought it was lost, and we wept for France.

And then a terrific thing happened; terrible, for it told us that what we feared was really true for the cannon ceased firing, and there came a silence more terrible than the roar, for it told us that the battle was over, and we knew we could not have won.

But we did not know how bad it was. We knew not that after such hours of fighting we were to have no honors of war, no terms, nothing but surrender.

But what could we do? The Prussians had surrounded us on every side. We had gone north to relieve Metz, but the Prussians still held Metz close and also had men enough to outnumber us at every point. We were many; yes, but they were so many more.

Soon we knew it all, for the news went swift. The Emperor had surrendered. He was a prisoner and MacMahon was a prisoner and all the generals were prisoners and all the men, wounded or unwounded, were prisoners. A hundred thousand prisoners—mon Dieu! mon Dieu!

I could almost weep now, as I wept then, though it was forty years ago.

Eh, well—here I am, with my wounds healed and a good wife beside me. I have a little pension and this post as concierge. . . . .

And the French fought well. It is not that I was one of the army that I say so. I do not think of that when I say the French fought bravely.

And if we had had better officers, and if our Emperor—but bah! What is done is done.

MUST BE PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—Louis Hill, president of the Great Northern railway, who has been here conferring with officials of the interior department regarding building a road, planned by the Great Northern to aid in developing Glacier National Park, Montana, has been told that while the department cannot grant a right-of-way to the railroad, there would be no objection to "accepting the aid" of the railroad company in the work of constructing the proposed road, which is to be a public highway open to all persons lawfully entering the park and subject only to the control of the United States.

The Great Northern also asks to be given permission to construct a wagon road across the Blackfoot Indian reservation on the same conditions as apply in the Glacier Park.

TARRED SCHOOL TEACHER.

Lincoln Centre, Kas., Nov. 17.—Pleas of guilty suddenly announced in the circuit court here yesterday by three of the most prominent men accused in connection with the tarring of Miss Mary Chamberlain, the Shady Bend school teacher, carried the state's attorneys almost off their feet with surprise. Judge Grover reserved sentence.

Four men now stand guilty by their own confession of a part in the tarring of the young school teacher. The first was Edward Ricord, the barber and hired decoy, who pleaded guilty yesterday and was also remanded to be sentenced by the judge. Five men, laborers of Beverly, have already paid fines of $1 each for their connection with the case.

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Cowan Ave., 50x173, close to Oak Bay Ave; 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. For $950

Stanley Ave., 2 lots, each 60x120; ½ cash, balance 6 and 12 months at 7 per cent. Discount of 5 per cent. for cash. For $2,900

Cambridge Street, facing Woodstock, 62x104; 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. For $1600

Fifth Street, north end, 2 lots, each 50x129, just off Hillside Ave; 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Price for the two $2,500

Double Corner on King's Rd., 101x124; 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Price $3,000

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Yates Street, close to Cook, 60x120, with two 8-room houses, always rented. $2,000 cash, balance at $50 per month at 6 per cent. Price $10000

Fairfield Estate, 50x120, with 5-room cottage, just off car line; $600 cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price .. $2100

Victoria West, 7-room modern dwelling on improved street, close to Craigflower Rd., lot 50x120; $700 cash, balance $40 per month. Price $4,200

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House and Lot, Pembroke St., rents for $22.00 per month. Price ... $2100

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Garbally Road, fine, modern House, well built, 3 rooms. Price $6500

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Wilson St., Victoria West, 7-room House, new cement floor in basement, cement sidewalks, nice wire fence all around, nicely finished inside, latest style. Terms, $700 cash, balance $25 per month. This is a snap and can't be beat. Price $3500

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POUND NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that seven days from date, at 2:30 p. m., on November 13th, 1911, I will offer for sale at the Oak Bay Pound, one Bay Horse:

DESCRIPTION

Weight, about 1,200 pounds; age, about 10 years; letter "D" branded on hip, left side; hog mane; Bay horse, height about 13 hands.

WM. CURRIE,
Constable and Poundkeeper.
Oak Bay, B. C., November 6th, 1911.

NOTICE

A meeting of the shareholders of the Amalgamated Development Company (of Seattle, Wash.) will be held at 3 p. m. on Monday, Nov. 13, 1911, at 218-19 Pemberton Building, Victoria, for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

M. MANSON, Sec.-Treas.

B. C. SOCIETY FOR PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

Victoria Branch.

The Annual Meeting will be held in the City Hall, by kind permission of the Mayor, on Wednesday next, Nov. 15th, at 8 p. m.

Lindley Crease, Esq., will preside.

A full attendance is desired.

THOS. W. PALMER,
Hon. Secretary.

LIQUOR ACT, 1910

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of the hotel licence to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Arrowhead Hotel, situate at Shawnigan Lake, in the Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 29th day of October, 1911.

LOUIS LUCAS
JOHN P. SWEENEY
Applicants.

LIQUOR ACT, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licencing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, B. C., at the next Sittings thereof, for a transfer of the Retail Liquor Licence in respect of the premises known as the "Auto" Saloon, situate at 2913 Douglas Street, in the City of Victoria, B. C., from the undersigned to John Fisher.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., the 19th day of October, 1911.

DOLLY AMELIA WALLIS,
Applicant.

LIQUOR ACT, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that on the first day of December next application will be made to the superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of the hotel license to sell liquor by retail at the premises known as the Gorge Hotel, Tillicum Road, Esquimalt District, in the province of British Columbia.

E. MARSHALL,
Applicant.

Dated this 14th day of October, 1911.

LIQUOR ACT, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licencing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, B. C., at the next Sittings thereof, for a transfer of the Retail Liquor Licence in respect of the premises known as "William Harrison" Saloon, situate at No. 1404 Douglas Street, in the City of Victoria aforesaid, from the undersigned to Jason Graham, and from the said premises to Prince George Hotel, situate at the Southwest corner of Douglas and Pandora Streets, in the City of Victoria aforesaid.

ROBERT HARRISON,
H. CATHCART,
Executors of Estate of William Harrison, Deceased.
Applicants.

LIQUOR ACT, 1910

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of the hotel licence to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Mayne Island Hotel, situate at Mayne, in the Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 1st day of November, 1911.

C. J. McDONALD,
Applicant

LIQUOR ACT, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that on the first day of December next application will be made to the Superintendent of Police for renewal of the hotel licence to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Howards Hotel, situate at Esquimalt, in the Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 11th day of October, 1911.

JOSEPH BALL,
Applicant.

LIQUOR ACT, 1910

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licencing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, B. C., at the next sittings thereof, for a transfer of the Retail Liquor Licence in respect of the premises known as the "Princess" Saloon, situate at the Southwest corner of Government and Herald Streets in the City of Victoria, B. C., from the undersigned to H. Waurnell and K. Williams.

DATED at Victoria, B. C., the 2nd day of November, 1911.

GEORGE STOKES,
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VANCOUVER CIVIC ESTIMATES REDUCED

Board of Works Uses Pruning Knife Vigorously—New Paving Plant

Vancouver, Nov. 16.—The pruning knife has started ev in connection with the estimates for next year. At a meeting of the Board of Works the estimates submitted from the city engineer for $6,883,050 for streets, sewers and new plant for the city was cut down to the sum of $2,065,000, which was a good deal less than one-third of the amount estimated.

In regard to the clearing and rough grading of streets and lanes, and their rocking, planking, etc., the estimate of the city engineer came to $3,143,050. The board pruned this down to $927,130 as the amount to be asked for next year's work in the department.

The city engineer reported it was apparent that this enormous work cannot be carried out in one season, but he wished to point out that whatever proportions may be allotted to the different sections of the city, it was quite apparent that some sections must go without these improvements. Nevertheless, if the council gave the necessary equipment and the citizens were prepared to put up with the inconvenience of having the streets torn up this department was prepared to let contracts to cover, if not the whole, the greater portion of the work. He did not advise such a precedure, but it would be possible to carry through a major portion of it. If contractors were advised in advance of the policy for the coming year as to works of construction, no doubt, big firms would come in prepared to handle this work on a large scale.

In regard to the sewers the estimate was: City, amount suggested, $1,250,000; Hastings Townsite, $2,000,000; D. L. 301, $350,000, making a total of $3,600,000, and in regard to this the city engineer stated that the council was aware that in taking hold of this no complete design of a sewer system dealing with that part of the city lying south of False Creek, which also includes Hastings Townsite and D. L. 301, had been prepared. This necessitated putting on a staff of engineers to obtain the necessary data to enable them to compile a proper system.

The information, it was reported, has now been collected, and the plans were being developed, and it was hoped at the next meeting of the road committee to bring down estimates for the construction of the trunk sewers which will serve Ward VI. or Kitsilano, Bridge Street and China Creek, these being the main arteries, which must of necessity first be constructed before laterals can be put in.

It was the intention of the engineer to recommend that all large trunk sewers be constructed under contract, and that the majority of the laterals be built by day labor. In this way he hoped to relieve the intolerable conditions that existed at present.

Without going into the matter of any division of the amounts between the city and the other two districts, the board placed the amount at $1,000,000, to include them all.

In regard to new plant in connection with the handling of paving work, etc., and to put the city in such a position as to be independent of the contractors, that is, to enable them to compete, if necessary, against the cotractors, or if necessary to relieve them of their contracts if they did not live up to their obligations, the city engineer advised that equipment be provided to include wharfs, slips, stone bunkers, asphalt plant, concrete mixers, steam shovels, rollers, etc.; the amount came to $140,000. The board approved the provision of the equipment, and it was stated that it was asked for in consequence of the indifferent manner in which the several contractors have been equipped and the unnecessary delays which as a result have occurred.

Another substantial cut was also made in civic estimates, by the Waterworks Committee, when a proposed by-law for ordinary waterworks extensions was reduced from $385,269 to a level amount of $300,000.

SUMMERLAND APPLE SHOW

Summerland, Nov. 16.—A large and enthusiastic group of members of the Summerland Agricultural Association met recently to talk over the recent show and arrange plans for next season's fair.

Early in the meeting the president, C. J. Thomson, made the announcement that the association was in receipt of a cheque from Hon. Price Ellison, minister of finance, for $2,000, this being the amount promised by him in his address at the opening of the new hall. This amount is being applied against the expense of erecting the new hall, and is in addition to the grants previously made by the government.

There was some considerable discussion on the best date on which to hold the apple show. Many claiming that it was a little early this year, finding many orchardists very busy gathering their fruit. It was suggested that early in November was a better time, but it was finally decided to hold the next show the last Wednesday and Thursday in October.

RUNAWAY CAR CAUSES DEATH.

Kaslo, Nov. 16.—Dr. Devlin accompanied by J. D. Moore, Frank Helm and James Spiers, went to the Nome mine and brought down the body of Henry Rugge. The body was found in the tunnel 300 feet from the portal, in a decomposed condition.

It looks likely that Rugge was riding out on the car when his head struck a stone projecting from the roof of the tunnel. The car apparently swerved rounding a curve, and struck a post in a timber sett, making a deep mark in the post. The tunnel is about five feet high and very rough, with stones projecting here and there.

CITY HOSPITAL AT NEW WESTMINSTER

Question is Now Being Considered by the Hospital Board

New Westminster, Nov. 16.—The question of a site for the Isolation Hospital, when it came before the meeting of the city council was soon merged in the big general question of hospital accommodation in New Westminster. The original question came up in the form of a petition from residents in the neighborhood of the site presently proposed by the city council, and Alderman Johnston moved that the petition be referred to the health committee for report on the question. One hundred and forty-eight names were exhibited to the petition.

Ald. Bryson said there were one or two ratepayers present, some of whom might be heard. He suggested that they should be asked to give their views. This was unanimously agreed to.

Mr. Hartman, responding to the invitation, said the Isolation Hospital built on the site now proposed would be a menace in several senses. There was a great deal of valuable property in the neighborhood, and while there was nothing to be feared from proximity to an infectious diseases hospital, people would not, and did not, live in its vicinity.

The speaker concluded by saying that during two months' absence from the city he had visited several cities and found that hospitals of this character were in nearly every city visited an annex to the General Hospital. He had expressed his views to several aldermen about a site within the city limits, a quarter of a mile from any residence.

Ald. Dodd asked where such a place could be found.

Mayor Lee said the question of public hospitals always involved discussion. In his judgment the Royal Columbian Hospital ought to be a civic institution owned and run by the city, with government assistance and so on." The health committee could look into the charter and see if or how this could be done.

Ald. Johnston, chairman of the hospital board, said that while it had not been made public, this matter had been taken up and is at present under consideration by the board. The majority of the members seemed to have come to the conclusion that it is time for the city to operate a hospital of its own. In time the board might make a recommendation to this effect. While it was splendidly taken care of now by a board composed of members of the city council and the Women's Council, four from each, it was true that for some time the board had been short of its full complement of directors. The board hoped, however, to be in a position to come before the city council with a request that the matter be considered. "The time has come," said the speaker, "when the city of New Westminster, like all others, must make its hospital a civic institution."

Ald. Bryson asked if the health committee would also look into the matter of making the Isolation Hospital an annex of the General Hospital.

Mayor Lee said the committee could report on the whole question. He thought it would be hard to find a place that would meet with unanimous approval.

The matter was referred to the health committee for report.

FIRE AT NAKUSP.

Nakusp, Nov. 16.—A mysterious fire started in a railway warehouse owned by Thomas Abriel, completely wiped out the building and its contents, consisting of hay, canned goods, etc., and resulting in a loss of about $1,000. It is understood there is no insurance.

The alarm, attracted hundreds of willing hands who worked indefatigably in protecting the adjoining buildings, the C. P. R. freight shed, Jordan's warehouse and the telegraph shed. Several times there was danger of all the buildings being gutted and of the flames possibly reaching the station and the cars opposite.

The origin of the fire is mysterious as there was no fire in or near the buildings, and the roofs were damp and frosted. It is conjectured the outbreak was the result of spontaneous combustion of some hay.

DAIRY PLANT DESTROYED.

Chilliwack, Nov. 16.—The large modern dairy plant of C. E. Eckert, just completed on Sumas Prairie, near Yarrow, at a cost of $7,000, has been destroyed by fire. The plant, which was considered one of the most complete in the province, had just been installed in new buildings, and a few hours before the fire started the last cow of a herd of 117 cattle had been driven into the stable. All of the cattle were saved.

The barn contained 125 tons of hay, 12 tons of grain and a complete outfit of dairy implements. The fire was the result of spontaneous combustion, caused by the storing of green hay. The loss will be about $8,000. The buildings and contents were insured for $4,000.

CRANBROOK CURLING CLUB.

Cranbrook, Nov. 16.—The curling club held a most enthusiastic meeting at which the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, D. J. Johnson; vice-president, A. C. Bowness; secretary, D. D. McLaws; treasurer, J. A. Arnold; executive committee, E. H. Small, Dr. F. B. Smillie, Jos. Jackson; ice committee, A. C. Bowness, Geo. Hoggarth, Judge Wilson; official umpire, J. Cholditch; chaplain, Rev. C. O. Main; delegates to annual meeting of B. C. Curling Association, Judge Wilson and J. G. McCallum.

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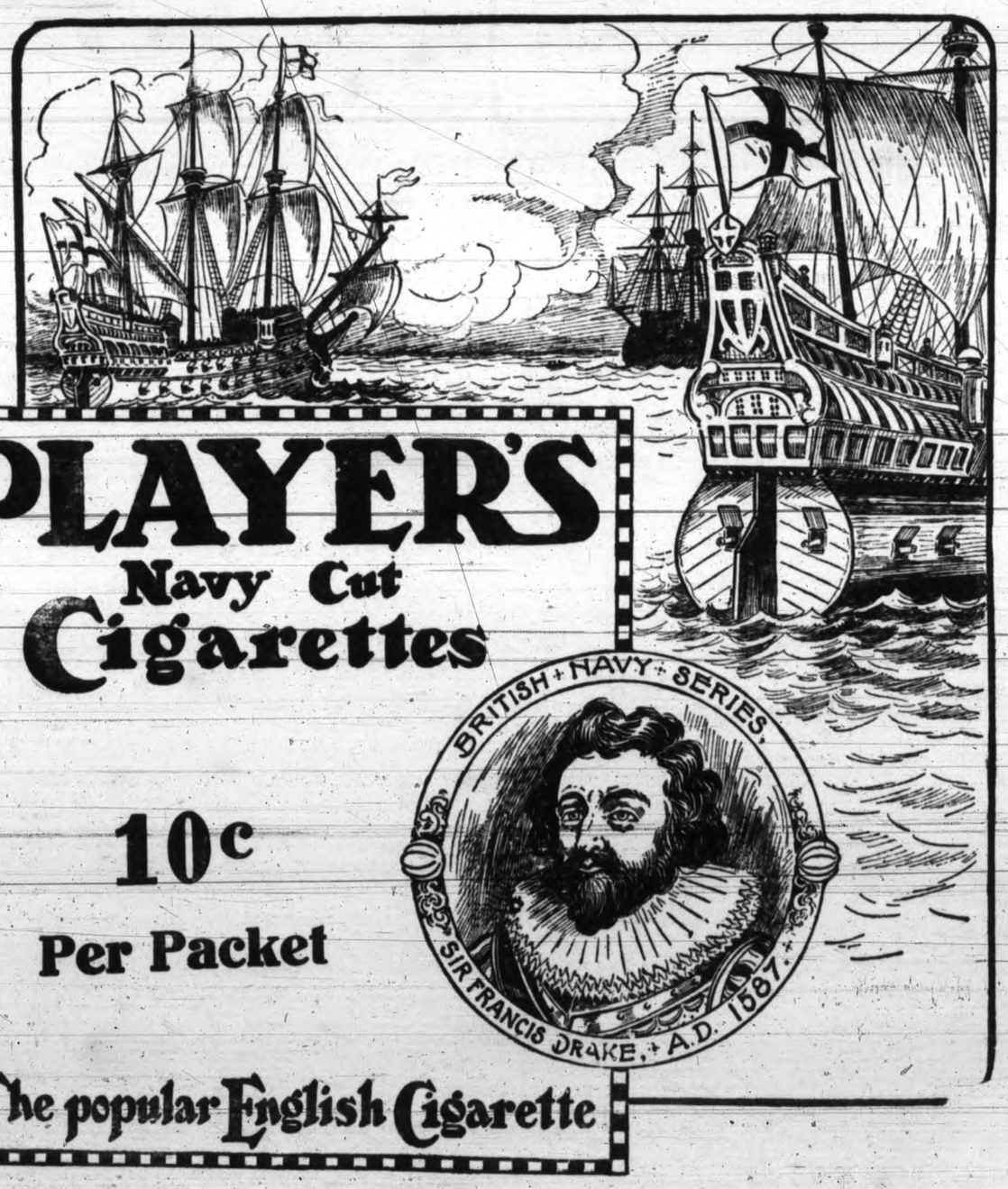

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Financial News

ANOTHER ADVANCE IN STOCK PRICES

Strong Save on New York Market—Railway Outlook Improving

New York, Nov. 17.—The sudden turn of the market this morning came as a surprise to leaders, who had anticipated a slackening in stocks. There was a strong tone throughout the list. The change in sentiment is said to have been largely due to remarks of ex-President Roosevelt contained in an article appearing in the Outlook relative to corporations, which were digested favorably and served as an impetus to many who had been holding off for better news. Steel and Smelters made substantial bull moves. Railroad gross earnings continue to display a tendency towards improvement, the total of United States roads reported for four weeks of October aggregating $39,500,000, an increase of $500,000 over the corresponding period a year back. The strength of the rails in the market for the past week or so has indicated the better feeling that is being felt in regard to their future.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Amn. Agr. Chemical	61½	59¾	54½
Amn. Beet Sugar	56¾	56¾	56¼
Amn. Can., pref.	90¼	89¾	90
Amn. Car. & Foundry	54¾	53¼	54½
Amn. Ice Securities	19¼	18½	19½
Amn. Smelting	73¾	70¾	73⅛
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	139¼	138½	138¾
Amn. Tobacco, pref.	98½	98¼	98¼
Anaconda	37¼	37	37½
Atchison	107¾	107¼	107½
B. R. T.	78¼	77½	77¾
C. P. R.	240¾	239½	239¾
C. & O.	75¾	75½	75¼
C. & G. W.	20¾	20½	20¾
Do., pref.	39	38½	38¾
C., M. & St. P.	112	111¼	111½
Con. Gas	142½	141½	112
D. & R. G., pref.	49¼	49	48½
Erie	33¼	32¾	33
Do., 1st pref.	53¾	53	53½
G. N., pref.	128¼	126¾	128
Inter-Metro.	15¾	15½	15¼
Do., pref.	47½	46¾	46¾
Lehigh Valley	181	179½	179½
Mo. Pacific	41	40	39¾
Nat. Biscuit	141½	140¾	140¾
Nat. Lead	50¾	50	50½
Nat. Rys. of Mex., 2nd pref.	35½	35½	35½
Nev. Cons.	17¾	17½	17¼
N. Y. C.	108½	107½	108
N. Y., O. & W.	40¾	40¾	40½
N. & W.	110¾	110¾	110¾
N. P.	120¾	118¾	119¾
Pacific Mail	33	31½	32½
Penn'y.	122¾	122	122½
Pressed Steel Car	34¾	33	33¾
Reading	153	150¾	152
Rep. Iron & Steel	22¾	22¼	22¾
Do., pref.	81¾	81	81½
Rock Island	27¾	27½	27½
Do., pref.	51½	51½	51
S. P.	114¼	113¾	113¾
Sou. Railway	30¾	30½	30¾
Do., pref.	72½	71¾	72
Tenn. Copper	37½	36¾	36½
U. P.	174¾	172¾	174¾
Do., pref.	93¾	93	93
U. S. Rubber	47¾	47½	47¾
U. S. Steel	65¼	62¾	64¾
Do., pref.	110¼	109¾	110
Utah Copper	48¾	48½	48½
Va. Car. Chem.	52¾	52¼	52
Wabash	11¾	11¾	11½
Do., pref.	24¼	22¾	23¼
Westinghouse	67¾	66¾	66

Money on call, 2¼ per cent.
Total sales, 753,600 shares.

TORONTO STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Toronto, Nov. 17.

	Bid.	Ask.
Amal. Asbestos	2	4
Do., pref.	..	20
B. C. Packers "A"	92½	..
Do., "B"	97	..
Do., common	74	75
Bell Telephone	142½	143½
Canada Cement	29	30
Do., pref.	90	90½
Can. Gen. Electric	115	..
Consumers Gas	192	194
Dom. Iron, pref.	101	102
Dom. Steel Works	58	59
Dom. Telegraph	104	..
Duluth Superior	80	81
Elec. Dev. Co., pref.	65	65½
Lake of Woods	144	144½
Laurentide	145	149
Maple Leaf	69¾	70
Do., pref.	100½	101
Mex. L. & P.	89½	..
Montreal Power	173	..
N. S. Steel	94½	96
Penmans	56	57
Do., pref.	85	86
Porto Rico Ry.	70¾	71½
R. .. O. Nav. Co.	123	..
Rio Janeiro Tram.	112½	112¾
St. L. & C. Nav. Co.	90	..
Sao Paulo Tram.	183¾	184
Toronto Railway	135	136
Winnipeg Railway	..	248

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

New York, Nov. 17.—Money on call steady, 2¼@3 per cent.; ruling rate, 2¾ per cent.; closing bid, 2¾ per cent.; offered at 2½ per cent. Time loans easy; 60 days, 3½@3¾ per cent.; 90 days, 3¾@4¼ per cent.; 6 months, 3¾@4 per cent. Close—Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.83.85 for 60 days and at $4.86.90 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.83. Bar silver, 56⅛c. Mexican dollars, 46½c. Bonds, governments steady; railroads firm.

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; market slow, steady; beeves, $4.40@$9.10; Texas steers, $4@$5.70; western steers, $4.30@$7.30; stockers and feeders, $2.90@$5.75; cows and heifers, $1.90@$5.75; calves, $5.50@$8.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 24,000; market slow, steady; light, $5.90@$6.57½; mixed, $6.15@$6.67½; heavy, $6.15@$6.70; rough, $6.15@$6.35; good to choice heavy, $6.35@$6.70; pigs, $4.50@$6; bulk of sales, $6.40@$6.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; market steady; natives, $2.50@$3.75; western, $2.65@$3.70; yearlings, $3.75@$4.60; lambs, native, $3.50@$5.85; western, $3.75@$5.75.

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

Victoria, Nov. 17.—Twelve thousand shares changed hands to-day, the dealings being again confined to Maricopa Oil and Portland Canals. Other stocks remain firm at the same prices.

	Bid.	Asked.
Alberta Canadian Oil	.04	.05
American Canadian Oil	....	15
Canadian Northwest Oil	.04	.06½
Can. Pac. Oil	....	.17
Alberta Coal & Coke	.01	.02
Diamond Vale Coal & Coke	.03	.06½
Granby	29.00	32.00
International Coal & Coke	.59	.61
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	....	65.00
Royal Collieries	....	.10
Western Coal & Coke	....	1.60
Maricopa	.01¾	.01¾
B. C. Copper	3.75	4.50
B. C. Packers, com.	70.00	....
B. C. Permanent Loan	125.00	....
C. N. P. Fisheries	3.00	4.00
Dominion Trust Co.	118.00	....
Great West Permanent (a)	120.00	....
Great West Permanent (b)	116.50	....
Stewart Land	5.00	....
Bitter Creek	....	.10
Glacier Creek	.01¾	.02½
Klaskino	.05	....
Lasqueti	.00½	.01½
Lucky Calumet	.01	.02½
Lucky Jim Zinc	.31	.35
Main Reef	.01½	.02
Nugget Gold	.32	....
Portland Canal	.04¾	.05
Rambler Cariboo	.48	....
Red Cliffs	....	.43
Snowstorm	.12	....
Snowshoe	.01	.02
Coronation	.38	.45
Kootenay	.40	....
S. A. Warrants	750.00	....
Standard Lead	1.55	1.70

Sales.

1,000 Maricopa Oil	.01¾
1,000 Maricopa Oil	.01¾
5,00 Portland Canal	.04¾
1,000 Maricopa Oil	.01¾
1,000 Maricopa Oil	.01¾
1,000 Maricopa Oil	.01¾
2,000 Maricopa Oil	.01¾

COTTON TRADE

Liverpool cables report some stoppage of mills on account of Chinese troubles.

LONDON SILVER

London, Nov. 17.—Silver, 25 13-16.

LONDON COPPER

London, Nov. 17.—London Copper close: Spots, £57 3s. 9d., up 1s. 3d.; sales, 200 tons. Futures, £57 18s. 9d., up 2s. 6d.; sales, 1,900 tons.

COPPER EXPORT

Copper exports decreased 1,990 tons. Exports to date 16,247, decrease 1,148. From January 1st 288,072, increase 30,709.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
New York, Nov. 17.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	9.07	9.13	9.06	9.11
March	9.18	9.23	9.16	9.22
May	9.26	9.30	9.24	9.28-29
July	9.29	9.33	9.29	9.32-33
Aug.	...	...	...	9.33-35
Sept.	...	...	...	9.33-35
Oct.	9.33	9.36	9.33	9.35-36
Dec.	9.28	9.34	9.27	9.32-33

ALLEGED COFFEE COMBINE

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Charges that a coffee combine exists that is the "most monstrous imposition in the history of human commerce," were made before the Coffee Roasters' Association, in convention here, yesterday by Thomas J. Webb, of Chicago. Mr. Webb urged the association to initiate a movement to overthrow Brazilian domination of the coffee market, for "we have to pay famine prices for coffee when no famine exists," he said.

"We are at the mercy of a syndicate of bankers backed by Brazil. It is the first instance in history in which a sovereign country has abrogated its legislative powers to a committee dominated by aliens. Brazil produces 85 per cent. of the world's coffee. The government issues bonds to the amount of $75,000,000 to buy a surplus stock of coffee. The coffee is turned over to the banking syndicate, and is shipped from storage to consumers. The committee of this syndicate is in absolute control of the coffee market of the world.

"Here is Brazil, who, by abrogating her legislative powers, has violated her treaty obligations, and the matter should be the subject of inquiry by the American department of state."

CHINESE ORDERS CANCELLED

New York, Nov. 17.—That the situation in China is causing great inconvenience and uncertainty in the operations of exporting and importing firms was made evident by statements as to conditions made by a representative of the firm of Fearon, Daniel & Co., of No. 96 Wall street, to-day.

"In recent days the fact that China is in a turbulent state has been forcibly thrust home to us," he said. "We had made a sale of $50,000 worth of wool for a New York firm and the shipment was to have been made from Tien Tsin this month. We have just received a cablegram from Shanghai, from our main office in China, that the contract cannot be filled under present conditions and it may be we shall have to cancel it. A similar cable from Shanghai to the effect that a substantial order of goods which in the ordinary course would be forthcoming from that city to us shortly can not be filled at present."

A private cable dispatch was received yesterday by one of the leading banks of New York to the effect that the Yokohama Specie Bank of Yokohama, has concluded a loan of 23,000,000 yen ($11,500,000) to the viceroy of Manchuria.

FARM AND FOREST PRODUCTS

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—During the last fiscal year there was a balance of $203,000,000 on the right side of the ledger in the country's accounts of its imports and exports of farm and forest products. While it imported $688,000,000 worth, it exported $891,000,000 worth.

WIDE RANGE IN WHEAT PRICES

December Delivery Passes the 96 Level—Corn Closes Slightly Lower

Chicago, Nov. 17.—There was a wider range noted in wheat prices to-day. December delivery passed the 96 level. The bulge was due to the repeated unfavorable weather reports from Argentine and consequent covering by shorts. Receipts were not so large. Towards the close December sagged a point, and finished at 95⅛ to 95¼. There is not much change in the outlook, and the Modern Miller is a stand-off.

Corn and oats showed little change from yesterday, corn closing fractionally lower and oats slightly higher.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec.	94¾	96¼	94¾	95¼
May	100¼	100¾	100	100¼
July	95	95¼	94¾	94¾
Corn—				
Dec.	64¾	64¾	64¼	64¼
May	65¾	65½	64¾	65
July	65¼	65¼	64¾	64¾
Oats—				
Dec.	47¾	47¾	47½	47¾
May	50¼	50¾	50	50¼
July	46½	46¾	46½	46¾
Pork—				
Jan.	16.45	16.52	16.45	16.47
May	16.95	16.97	16.82	16.88
Lard—				
Jan.	9.35	9.45	9.35	9.45
May	9.60	9.67	9.57	9.62
Short Ribs—				
Jan.	8.62	8.67	8.60	8.62
May	8.75	8.87	8.72	8.82

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Winnipeg, Nov. 17.—Opening and closing prices to-day are as follows:

Wheat—Nov., 99¾@99½; Dec., 96½@96; May, old, 99¾@99¾; May, new, 99¼@98¾.

Oats—Nov., 41¾@41; Dec., 39¾@39½; May, 42¾@42½.

Flax—Nov., 189@189; Dec., 185.

Cash prices—Wheat, 1 Nor., 99½; 2 Nor., 96½; 3 Nor., 92; No. 4, 86; No. 5, 75; No. 6, 68; feed, 65.

Oats—No. 2 C. W., 40¾; No. 3 C. W., 38½; extra No. 1 feed, 39½; No. 1 feed, 37½; No. 2 feed, 36½.

Barley—No. 3, 66; No. 4, 55; rejected, 52½; feed, 50½.

CHICAGO CASH WHEAT

Chicago, Nov. 17.—2 red, 96@97½; 3 red, 93@96; 2 hard, 98@105; 3 hard, 95@99; 2 northern spring, 104@105; 3 northern spring, 102@108.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Winnipeg, Nov. 17.—Closing prices: Wheat—Nov., 99½; Dec., 96; May, 99¾.
Oats—Dec., 39½; May, 42½.

WHEAT RECEIPTS

Wheat receipts in carloads follow.

	To-day.	Last Year.
Minneapolis	339	298
Duluth	57	82
Winnipeg	235	417
Chicago	16	18
Kansas City	19	54
St. Louis	19,000 bus.	44,000 bus.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, Nov. 17.—Close: Wheat, ⅜ to ½ lower. Corn, ¼ to ⅜ higher. Dec., 7s. 1½d.; March, 7s. 1½d.; May, 7s. 0⅝d. Corn, Jan., 5s. 8⅛d.; Feb., 5s. 7⅛d.

GRAIN MARKETS

Berlin, Nov. 17.—Wheat closed unchanged.

Budapest, Nov. 17.—Wheat unchanged.

CLEARANCES

Wheat and flour	270,000
Corn	730,000
Oats	10,500

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS

	To-day.	Last Year.
Receipts.		
Wheat	715,000	711,600
Corn	454,000	437,000
Shipments.		
Wheat	491,000	660,000
Corn	195,000	408,000

THE HARVESTER COMPANY

Washington, Nov. 17.—The next move looking to the voluntary integration of the International Harvester Company rests with that corporation. The negotiations between the department of justice and the company have been temporarily suspended pending action by officials of the so-called Harvester Trust upon the department's objection to the plan of dissolution submitted by representatives of the company.

ORDERS CARS

New York, Nov. 17.—It is reported that B. & O. has closed orders for 8,000 cars. The demand for equipment of roads has been very large of late.

MAY TRANSFER LAND OFFICE.

Calgary, Nov. 17.—It is rumored here that the C. P. R. will move its entire Winnipeg land office to Calgary from Winnipeg and make this city its headquarters for the land department. In Winnipeg, however, the vice-president's office said that the Calgary report of the land department changes was not correct.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—Rear-Admiral John Yeatman Taylor, U. S. N., retired, shot himself in his residence here yesterday, dying within half an hour. He was 82 years of age. Despondency over failing health is believed to have prompted the suicide.

ROOSEVELT ON CONTROL OF TRUSTS

Efforts to Prohibit All Combinations Bound to Fail—Suggests Remedy

New York, Nov. 17.—Recent litigation and the efforts to regulate the trusts are discussed and a remedy to meet the present situation is summed up by Theodore Roosevelt in an editorial entitled "The Trusts, the People and the Square Deal," published in the Outlook.

"The suit against the steel trust by the government," Mr. Roosevelt begins, "has brought vividly before our people the need of reducing to order our chaotic government policy as regards business."

He concludes with the following recommendation:

"The national government exercises control over interstate commerce railways, and it can in a similar fashion, through an appropriate government body, exercise control over all industrial organizations. This control should not be exercised by the courts, but by an administrative bureau or board, such as the bureau of corporations or the interstate commerce commission, for the courts can not, with advantage, permanently perform executive and administrative functions."

Before taking up his general theme, Mr. Roosevelt paused to deny that the representatives of the steel corporation misled him while he was president. Referring to the suit against the steel trust, he said:

"One of the grounds for the suit is the acquisition by the steel corporation of the Tennessee Company; and it has been alleged, on the authority of most of the officials engaged in carrying on the suit, that as regards this transaction I was misled by the representatives of the steel corporation and that the facts were not accurately or truthfully laid before me.

"This statement is not correct. I believed at the time that the facts in the case were as represented to me on behalf of the steel corporatin, and my further knowledge has convinced me that this was true.

"I believed at the time that the representatives of the steel corporation told me the truth as to the change that would be worked in the percentage of the business which the proposed acquisition would give the steel corporation, and further inquiry has convinced me that they did so. I was not misled. The representatives of the corporation told me the truth as to what the effect of the action at that time would be, and any statement that I was misled or that the representatives of the corporation did not thus tell me the truth as to the facts of the case is not in accordance with the truth."

Continuing, Mr. Roosevelt said:

"The effort to prohibit all combination, good or bad, is bound to fail and ought to fail; when made, it merely means that some combinations are not checked and that honest business is checked. Our purpose should not be to strangle business as an incident of strangling combinations, but to regulate corporations in a thorough manner, so as to help legitimate business as to thoroughly and completely safeguard the interests of the people on the whole."

In conclusion Mr. Roosevelt said:

"Competition will remain as a very important factor when once we have discovered unfair business methods, the criminal interference with the rights of others, which alone enables so swollen combinations to crush out their competitors, and incidentally the 'conservatives' would do well to remember that these unfair and iniquitous methods by great masters of corporate capital have done more to cause popular discontent with the proper led class than the orations of all the Socialist orators in the country put together."

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY

New York, Nov. 17.—Selden Bacon, John Howard Hill and Phillip C. Clifford, trustees in the bankruptcy case for the United Wireless Co., and two other creditors, the National Surety Company, of New York, and Herman G. Neuhoff, of New Jersey, filed to-day in the United States district court a petition in bankruptcy against Christopher Wilson, former president of the company. The claims aggregate $1,689,540.

Wilson is in the federal prison at Atlanta, convicted of misusing the mails to defraud investors.

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VICTORIA MUST GET IN THE RACE

(Continued from page 1.)

penditure would achieve is taken into account. Inside this enclosure the harbor would have been dredged to a depth which would have enabled the largest ocean freighter to have come in and ridden safely inside or tied up at any of the docks which would have been provided on either the city or Victoria West side of the harbor. Bound up with this scheme was the deepening of the middle and straightening the channel in several places so as to facilitate and increase its use by coasting steamers. The inner harbor is already being deepened under the arrangements made by the late government to a uniform depth of twenty-five feet.

Until these works are carried out the port of Victoria, while in an unrivalled position to bid for a New York share of the coming trade, is utterly inadequate to handle even what trade does come to it. Owing to its position the money spent on its improvement would give a far greater return than that laid out on any other port, and the cost of putting it in a position to capture a large share of the Panama trade would be comparatively small.

It is certain that the people of Victoria will look to the successors of the government which first paid any attention to the harbor to carry out the works which were planned by it, and the demand that this be undertaken at once will be all the more insistent as the sea-ports on the south are seen to be pushing forward their preparations, as Los Angeles is doing, to take one instance.

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LOCAL NEWS

—Are you thinking of what to buy for Xmas? If you are, just look round to the Sandringham, 729 Fort street, and see their latest novelties in toys and Xmas presents.

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To-morrow's Golf.—The qualifying round for the Challoner & Mitchell cup will be played to-morrow on the Oak Bay links.

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Daughters of Scotland.—The Daughters of Scotland are holding a social dance this evening in Forester's hall, Broad street. Miss Angus' orchestra will furnish the latest dance music.

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Hockey Club Meeting.—A meeting of the Prairie Hockey Club will be held in the office of the Globe Realty Co., McCallum block, Douglas street, on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. All prairie and eastern hockey enthusiasts are invited to attend.

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Coronation Carpet.—Weller Bros. will for the next week have on exhibition a piece of the carpet used in Westminster Abbey, which was woven by James Templeton & Co., Glasgow, whose agents they are here.

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Jolly Mr. Jiggers, the dancing dolly, a fine party merrymaker. Dolls and Xmas toys of all kinds at the Sandringham, Fort street.

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Want a Park.—Mayor Lee and Alderman Grey and Lynch, of New Westminster, saw the members of the provincial executive to-day in regard to getting a title to a small piece of land on Columbia street which the city desires to secure for the extension of its park system. Favorable consideration was promised to the request and Mayor Lee expresses himself satisfied that the city will be given what it desires.

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The funniest of all funny toys, "The Gobblin Gobblers," just arrived from London, at the Sandringham, 729 Fort street.

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New Trades Council.—The unions and other organizations will move into the old Gospel hall on Pandora avenue in two weeks' time from their present premises on Douglas street, and the necessary structural alterations will be made as soon as they can get possession. This place will be their headquarters till the new Labor Temple has been erected.

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Quacks and Quackery.—Dr. Lyman B. Sperry gave some interesting information to the audience which heard him last evening at the Y. M. C. A. on the subject of quackery, and pointed out the enormous amount of money which was annually wasted on so-called specialists who fed on the gullability of the public over patent medicines, and other good-health preservers, which were undoubtedly prejudicial to the welfare of the patient. To-night he will speak on "Psycho-Therapeutics in Plain English," or "As a man thinketh." This will conclude the series of addresses, but before the lecture to men the doctor will address the boys of the association.

SHOOTS HER HUSBAND.

Woman Pulls Trigger Gun, Not Knowing It Was Loaded.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 17.—Pulling the trigger of a shotgun which she thought was not loaded, Mrs. Jessie Saraceno shot and killed her husband, a fornier grocer of Spokane, Wash., today in their apartments. They were married eleven days ago. The young bride with her husband was rearranging the furniture of their flat when the husband brought the gun from a closet. His wife picked up the gun and asked if it was loaded.

"No, it has not been loaded for a long time," he replied.

Mrs. Saraceno pulled the trigger and the charge of shot entered her husband's head, killing him almost instantly.

Mrs. Saraceno was taken into custody but was released later after the police had made an investigation.

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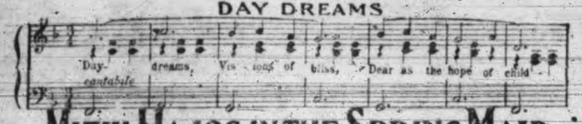

MIZZI HAJOS IN THE SPRING MAID

CIVIC OFFICIAL MAKES A PROTEST

MORE TROUBLE FOR THE CITY ENGINEER

H. P. Orton, Accountant, Resigns to Protest Against Appointment of Chief Clerk

When the city council meets to-night there will be the ever-present possibility of an unpleasant scene on account of recent developments in the reorganizing of one of the civic departments, to wit, the engineering department. H. P. Orton, who has been in the service of the city for twenty years, and occupied the position of accountant in the department referred to, has tendered his resignation to the chief on account of what he alleges to be a slight, and which originates in the appointment of W. T. Stutchbury to the recently created post of chief clerk of the department, over the heads of all the available men in the department.

Mr. Orton sees unfair treatment in the appointment of Mr. Stutchbury, and in order to protest against the system of appointing an outsider to fill positions which he considers should naturally come to the men in the service, he has resigned. He has done more than that, however; he has written to the city council setting forth the situation and stating that the manner in which he has been treated ill becomes a corporation, especially when the sergeant discriminated against has devoted so many years of his life to the public service.

Mr. Orton also states that a few days before the appointment of Mr. Stutchbury was made, or rather before it assumed the certainty which resulted in its achievement, he was introduced to the new chief clerk and asked if he could find a job for him at a salary much less than that which he is now receiving. Having heard Mr. Stutchbury's qualification Mr. Orton recommended him to go over to the parliament buildings and offer his services to the premier, which can only be regarded, either as a joke, or as a very sincere and flattering testimonial. Whether Mr. Stutchbury followed the advice tendered or not has not transpired; what has transpired is Mr. Stutchbury's appointment over the head of Mr. Orton, and Mr. Orton's resignation.

Another matter of importance, and also relating to the engineering department of the city, that will come up for consideration to-night, is the condition of the Fort street and Cook street asphalt paving. Since the advent of the snowstorm the paving, where it touches the rails of the B. C. Electric system, has been thrown up by atmospheric pressure, and broken up, leaving a ragged edge that is anything but picturesque to look at. It is claimed that the cause of this is the lack of brick against the flange of the rails. The paving specifications did not call for any brick or stones, and consequently the contractors did not use them. The asphalt was laid right up to the rail, and, of course, at the flange it had to taper off from its original thickness to fit into place. The frost, snow and ensuing dampness did the rest. When they began to operate on the asphalt it was found that there was not sufficient force in it to withstand the pressure and the consequence was it rose up from its place and became broken off.

Critics of the work declare that the fault lies with the specifications which should have called for bull-nosed brick against the rails. They claim that in other large cities where brick has been used in this manner it has proved the very best results, and that not to have had that provision inserted in the specifications was tantamount to failing to profit by the experience of others. On the other hand it is claimed that if the asphalt is properly laid it should be strong enough of itself to withstand the pressure of bad weather. It is but another instance of doctors differing, and it might be described in the formula "when experts differ pavements (don't) lie."

Alderman Okell has a notice which he proposes to bring up at the meeting in connection with the matter. It calls for an alteration in the specifications of all paving contracts to provide for the use of brick in such places.

With the continuance of the wretched weather conditions the construction work in the city is practically at a standstill. All available hands are employed in bettering the condition of the streets. The rock crusher has been put into active operation, not on behalf of any of the paving companies this time, but on behalf of the city's street workers so that a supply of rock can be secured immediately for putting the worst of the thoroughfares into a passable condition. Already Wilson street, off Esquimalt road, has been dealt with. After the first blizzard of rain the street was rendered useles for traffic and might as well have been scored off the map. The importance of the thoroughfare was recognized, however, and the engineer has had it put to rights.

A large number of local improvements, such as paving, sidewalking, boulevarding, and lighting, will also be considered to-night.

VICTORIAN ELECTION.

London, Nov. 17.—A cable from Melbourne shows that the state elections of Victoria resulted in a few changes, the Liberal - Conservative coalition government being sustained by a majority still over 20.

MAY SUCCEED HAL CHASE.

San Antonio, Nov. 17.—Harry Wolverton will manage the New York Americans nex year, succeeding Hal Chase, according to reports here to-day.

Contrary to general belief, the pulse of old people is quicker than that of the young.

STEADY POLLING UP TO THE NOON HOUR

Doubt Cast Upon Passage of Songhees Measure—All Other By-laws Safe

The market building is to-day the animated scene of the battle for the by-laws. The first blow was struck early in the morning and since then the engagement has been pretty general, and while the affirmative side is hopeful of sweeping the field there is a feeling of dread that one or other of the measures will fall by the wayside and be counted out—on the three-fifths basis.

At 9 o'clock this morning the polling booth was opened and the voting commenced. Up till noon, while it could not be claimed that there had been any rush to the polls, a steady stream of voters sustained the interest in the proceedings and kept alive the eternal question of whether the measures submitted would make the passage or not.

While there was much to be said for many of the measures submitted, and more for less of them, there was an obsence of any enthusiasm that might have served as a guide to the nature of the results. The exceeding inclemency of the weather let loose a number of the property-owning workmen earlier than usual with the result that the poll at noon had risen a point or two higher than it usually does on such occasions. About two hundred and fifty votes were cast at noon.

In all there are about five thousand people entitled to vote on by-laws, but of course if half that number avail themselves of the opportunity of expressing their opinions on the respective measures the record for by-law voting will easily be passed. On the occasion of the defeat of the parks and library measures it was claimed that general apathy more than organized opposition was at the back of it, and it could not possibly be argued from the figures returned that that statement was not true.

Several of the aldermen were at the booth during the forenoon and each of them expressed his confidence in the passing of the measure with which his name was particularly identified. As a matter of fact the only measure on which sincere doubt was passed was the by-law to purchase part of the Songhees reserve.

DERBY AUTUMN CUP.

London, Nov. 17.—The Derby Autumn Cup, a handicap of 1,325 sovereigns, over a mile and six furlongs, was won by J. B. Thorneycroft's Clarenceaux, 10 to 1. J. De Rothschild's Bronzino, 2 to J. was second, and W. Chatterton's Graball, 3 to 1, third.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Vancouver, Nov. 17.—At Fisher's Landing on the Columbia river, to-day, John Fornigia, a superintendent of a rock quarry, was killed in a rock slide. None of the other workmen were injured. Fornigia was 40 years old and unmarried.

MEXICAN TROUBLES.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—It is reported here that a serious situation undoubtedly exists in Mexico. Recent reports of disturbances in various parts of the republic were regarded as based on nothing more than the ebulitions of half-trained soldiers who found it difficult to return to the ways of peace. Later reports, however, are reaching Washington, indicating that there is danger of another revolution which may absorb within it the lesser and sporadic disorderly bands in various parts of the republic.

TIDE TABLE.

Victoria, November, 1911.

Date.	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
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1	4 25	3.5	.. ..	..	12 44	7.8	.. ..	..
2	5 14	3.9	.. ..	..	12 20	7.8	19 13	5.5
3	6 16	6.3	6 02	4.4	12 36	7.9	19 29	4.5
4	1 28	6.6	6 47	4.9	12 53	8.1	19 57	3.3
5	2 26	6.9	7 27	5.5	13 18	8.4	20 35	2.2
6	3 47	7.1	8 08	6.2	13 58	8.8	21 17	1.3
7	5 09	7.	8 46	6.8	13 54	9.1	22 01	0.5
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20	5 50	7.7	7 56	7.5	13 00	9.0	21 29	1.3
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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water.

FIFTEEN SAILORS LOSE THEIR LIVES

BARQUE ASHORE IN GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE

Vessel Going to Pieces—Gale Is Sweeping Lake Superior

Montreal, Nov. 17.—The Norwegian barque Antigua was wrecked at Martin River, Gaspé coast, early this morning, been driven ashore in the heavy northwest gale.

The vessel is going to pieces and 15 out of the 18 of the ship's company, including the captain, has been drowned.

No further information is obtainable from the survivors. The vessel loaded at one of the lower ports.

Wind and Snow.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Nov. 17.—A change in the weather took place during the night, and this morning a fierce gale and blinding snowstorm is sweeping over the Lake Superior region, causing a rush to shelter of all ships. Boats as fast as they arrive at the canal either tie up at the piers or drop anchor in the harbor.

Not since the ship canal was opened in 1855 has this region been visited by such heavy snowstorms or as fierce gales as have prevailed and are now prevailing this November. The apprehension among the boat men that the lake will freeze over, causing a sudden close of navigation, is strong today, and is causing much uneasiness. Many boats are in shelter here and others are reported long overdue.

Shipping Casualties.

Nantucket, Mass., Nov. 17.—The northwest gale that has swept Nantucket shores during the last two days wrecked the three-masted schooner Charles H. Wilston, of Bath, Maine, on Grout Point rip to-day, just missed the two-masted schooner Ella Clifton, five miles away, and caused another coaster off Chatham to call for help from passing fishermen. The Clifton was towed to Anchor by the rescue schooner Acushnel.

The Wilston, bound from Port Johnson, for Boothbay with coal, was torn from her anchorage under Handkerchief Shoal, and struck on Grout Point rip. Captain McCauley and five men took refuge in the rigging.

After four hours' struggle with the breakers, the crew of the Coskata succeeded in taking off the crew.

Not in Danger.

Marshfield, Ore., Nov. 17.—The three-masted schooner Sausalito, San Francisco to Coos Bay, reported anchored about a quarter of a mile outside of the breakers, several miles off the Coquille river bar last night, has not changed her position to-day, and it is believed not to be in any grave danger unless a strong southwest wind comes up. The sea is too rough for a boat to go to her.

The schooner Advance, from San Francisco to Bandon, is in a somewhat similar position about two miles north of Coquille river.

BRITISH STEAMER FOUNDERS.

London, Nov. 17.—The British steamer St. Bride, from Hamburg, November 9, for Norfolk, is reported to have foundered on the shoals off Neuwak Island in the North Sea. A large boat carrying some bodies has been picked up.

THOUSAND REPORTED KILLED OR WOUNDED

Battle Rages for Three Days at Chang Chow—Premier's Troubles

Amoy, Nov. 17.—According to native estimates more than one thousand casualties have occurred up to last evening in the three-days fighting at Chang Chow.

Troops Parade Streets.

London, Nov. 17.—A news dispatch from Tien Tsin says that British, French and Russian troops made some demonstrations there to-day by parading in the streets.

Decline to Serve.

Pekin, Nov. 17.—7:47 p. m.—China's first experiment with a constitutional cabinet dominated by Chinese does not promise much except a stepping stone to something mor permanent. The newspapers are not enthusiastic and expect the opening administration of Premier Yuan Shi Kai will be brief. Some of those selected as ministers already have declined to serve. Suspicions in some quarters are that Yuan Shi Kai deliberately constituted a government, a continuation of which he knew to be impossible.

VANCOUVER'S NEW PAPER.

Vancouver, Nov. 17.—Vancouver will have a new morning paper within the next sixty days. At a meeting of the Canadian Press, Limited, at Toronto, a franchise was granted to the Morning Sun, a Liberal paper of which J. S. McConnell is to be editor and Mr. Gerris city editor. Publication must be begun within sixty days, while capital stock amounting to $100,000 must be paid-up and half this sum invested in machinery. The Sun has purchased the mechanical outfit of the Spokane Inland Herald. A contract has been let for a new building, and until it is ready the paper will be housed in the offices of the British Columbia Saturday Sunset.

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We can offer this week 4-room Cottage on Pine St., Victoria West, all modern, cement sidewalks, sewer, and every other convenience, including light and phone, close to car. A fresh, clean little home like this which only requires $350 cash to handle, the balance $25 per month, ought to appeal to you. Come in and let us show you.

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REPORT NOT CONFIRMED.

Toronto, Nov. 17.—Rev. T. E. E. Shore, general secretary of the Foreign Missions of the Canadian church, questions the accuracy of the report from Victoria, B. C., this morning of the murder of two foreign missionaries in Szechuan, China. "We are getting the very latest mail communications from West China," he said when shown the dispatch, "and I don't think any such serious news could have reached Shanghai and not been received here. Szechuen is where our missionaries have their headquarters, but I should be be inclined to think that the news cannot be true."

DIED

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FOR THE BENEFIT of young women in or out of employment. Rooms and board. A home from home. 756 Courtenay street.

FOR RENT—HOUSES

5 ROOM HOUSE TO RENT and furniture for sale. Box 745, Times. n22

TO LET—Nicely furnished cottages, on Dallas Road, bath, hot and cold water, electric light. Apply Mrs. M. R. Smith, 104 Dallas Rd. n29

FOR SALE—ACREAGE

13 ACRES FOR SALE—Fine, deep, potato land, 10 acres ready for spring crop, near Luxton, new C. N. R. station, Happy Valley. Price and terms, owner, A. Cosh, 1817 Cook street, Victoria. Phone R1843. n23

WATER FRONT—Four acres on Glen Lake and close to Luxton Station, C. N. R., Happy Valley. For price, A. Cosh, 1817 Cook street, Victoria. n24

HAPPY VALLEY—66 acres, house and buildings, furniture, sportsman's paradise, or good sawmill proposition, two million feet, fine, clean, Douglas fir, adjoining new C. N. Ry., two creeks, on main road. Price and terms, owner, A. Cosh, 1817 Cook street, Victoria. d13

CHICKEN RANCH—5 acres, 7 room house, barn, well, etc., 100 fruit trees, corner Judith and Glanford avenue, beautiful southern slope and magnificent view of surrounding country, half hour's walk from Douglas street car line; price for a few days $7,850, very easy terms. Further particulars, apply Box 727, Times. n20

HOTEL SITE—Four acres on Glen Lake and close to Luxton Station, C. N. R., Happy Valley. For price, A. Cosh, 1817 Cook street, Victoria. n24

YOUR OPPORTUNITY—For sale, 20 acres, 10 acres all ready for planting, splendid soil, 400 trees heeled in, lots of rasps and currants, also a $2,000 house, with electric light, large sitting room, open fireplaces, fine large bathroom, thoroughly modern, 2 bedrooms, kitchen and stone basement. In view of the fact that a government road is in course of construction within 100 yards of the property this is really a fine speculation at $6,000, with only 1-3 cash, balance at 6 per cent. G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street. Open evenings. n17

FOR SALE—ARTICLES

TYPEWRITER, almost new, must sell, for owner. Royal Typewriter Agency, 1219 Langley street. d2

BOATS FOR SALE—Flat bottom boats for sale, all sizes in stock and made to order. Capital Jobbing Factory, 1003 Yates street. jy27 tf

CORDWOOD FOR SALE—Nearly 50 cords of A1 wood, within hauling distance of the city, at $1.50 per cord. For further particulars apply to R. C. W., care of P. O. Box 997, city.

901 YATES STREET—Furniture, new and second-hand, bought and sold.

FOR SALE—English leather valise, $6.50; steamer trunk, $6; mandolin, $10; violin, $8.50; shotgun, 12 gauge, $12; revolver, 32 cal., I. J., $3.50; double wool blankets, $2.25; opera glasses, $2.50. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, 6 doors below Government, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, quantity of wrought iron pipe, 3 and 4-inch. Box 752, Times Office. n22

FOR SALE—Furniture of 4 room cottage. Apply Box 733, Times. n17

FOR SALE—All wood and timber on west ½ of west ½ of section 17, range 2, East South Saanich, 20 acres. What offer? A. R. Flett, Maywood P. O., Victoria. n18

WOODLAND RHODODENDRONS—Mixed, hardy, easily grown, seedlings, in beautiful rosy lilac to deep purple shades $5 per dozen, with flower buds $7. George Fraser, Ucluelet, B. C. n30

FOR SALE—At 653 Yates street, pies, cakes, bread, etc. Try them. Tighe & Wheeler. o20 tf

FURNITURE, STOVES, ETC. J. R. Butler, 724-736 Pandora avenue. Phone 3156. j20

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—2 Angora billy goats, 11 months old, for cart, quiet. 1850 Hillside Ave. n18

YOUNG HEAVY HORSES for sale, weight from 1,500 to 1,800 lbs. J. & W. Milligan, Scarf, B. C. d14

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Apprentice or improver at R. C. Drug Store; commence now or Christmas; good chance for bright boy. W. C. Goode, 541 Johnson. n20

DO YOU WISH to make from $25 to $100 per week at home? Whole or spare time. No canvassing. I have done this. Commenced with $5. Particulars free. M. Hope, 43 Latour street, Montreal. n28

WE ARE OPEN to establish agencies in all cities and towns in British Columbia for accumulative bonds which guarantee exceptional returns for small savings. Under government supervision. A good side line in connection with any other agency work. Good commissions. Write or call for full information. Bond Department, Home Loan & Contract Co., Ltd., Canada Life Building, 640 Hastings street W., Vancouver, B. C. n17

WANTED—Messenger boys. Apply C. P. R. Telegraph, Government street. n17

ADVANCE, AUSTRALIA — Australian boarding house, 2641 Douglas street, for workingmen, $6 per week; bed, 25c. per night. j19

WANTED—A neat boy for delivering; must know the city thoroughly and come well recommended. Apply 575 Yates street. o27 tf

WANTED—2 high-class solicitors, with a guaranteed salary to first-class men; unless you are a solicitor kindly don't apply. Kelly & Cohen, 575 Yates street, upstairs, between 8 a. m. and 9.30, or 4 p. m. to 6 p. m. o27 tf

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Responsible girl for general house work. Apply, mornings, to Mrs. Luney, 576 Niagara street. n18

WANTED—Competent stenographer. Apply Crease & Crease, 821 Fort street, Victoria. n16 tf

WANTED—Ward maid for Jubilee Hospital, from 1st December; salary, $25 per mensem, with board, etc.; material for working dresses supplied. Apply Matron. n16 tf

CANVASSER WANTED, either sex, for good salable article; liberal commission. Apply Box 643, Times. n21

WANTED—Girl for general house work, plain cooking. Apply Mrs. A. Aaronson, 1315 Government street. n17

WANTED—A reliable woman as housemaid; no children. Apply box 652 Times.

WANTED—Nurse maid. Corner Fort and Stadacona. n4 tf

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—From 824 Douglas street, Gordon setter dog, 6 months old. Return to above address. Reward. n21

LOST—From auto, between Michigan and Fort Sts., small purse with chain attached. Owner's name inside. Reward at Times office, or phone 703. n18

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ESQUIMALT—Three choice lots, together, in best part of Esquimalt, roads on three sides, lane on fourth side, entirely surrounded; the three, $4,050; 1-3 cash, balance 1 and 2 years at 7 per cent. Russell & Gregg, 207 Pemberton Block. n19

CORNER LOT—On Park front, best site in Victoria for an apartment house of from three to four hundred rooms. Building lots of all sizes. Park Boulevard, Cook and Vancouver streets, easy terms. Houses for sale. A great bargain in Saanich property, the electric road will be there shortly; now is the time to buy. Come and see Oliphant about acreage or lots. Park Boulevard. o23 tf

KING'S ROAD AND BLACKWOOD ST.—Clear, high, double corner. For price, owner, A. Cosh, 1817 Cook street, Victoria. Phone R1843. n24

FIFTH STREET—Two good, grassy lots, close to Hillside. For price, owner, A. Cosh, 1817 Cook street, Victoria. n24

FOR SALE—Highly improved, picturesque property, largely bearing orchard, rest park, house and outbuildings excellent, not far from new car line; price $250 per acre, less than recently paid for similar land, but unimproved, in near vicinity; $8,000 cash, balance mortgage. Apply owner, Box 455, Times Office. d8

EDMONTON ROAD—Block off Fernwood, double corner, in grass, snap at $1,500; 1-3 cash. Owner, Box 699, Times. n18

LOT on Hulton street, 50x145, water laid on, $850; $75 cash, balance $20 per month. Apply Box 712, Times. n29

ST. CHARLES STREET—A large lot, 50x145, just one block from the sea, price $875, on easy terms. Western Lands, Limited, 1201 Broad street (corner View). n17

I LOSE if not sold right away, in Government House Place, lot, and I want $1000, on terms. Box 5730 Times. n20

JAMES BAY—A nice building lot on Montreal street for $1,200, on terms. E. J. Dobie, 918 Government. n17

TRACKAGE—Lot on Maple avenue, 47 ft. x 120 ft., with V. & S. Railroad trackage at rear; this is an ideal location for warehouse or small manufacturing plant; only three-quarters of a mile from City Hall and one block from Douglas street; price $1,750, on easy terms. Western Lands, Limited, 1201 Broad street (corner View). n17

PINCHED FOR MONEY and will sell my lot in Shoal Bay for $800 on easy terms. 50x149. Box 5726 Times. n20

IMMEDIATE SALE—3 lots on Mount Stephen, only $625 each. Robt. Wm. Clark, 1112 Government street. Phone 1092. n17

HOLLYWOOD PARK—A full-sized, level lot, no rock, on Wildwood avenue and less than a block from the sea; price only $850, easy terms. Western Lands, Limited, 1201 Broad street (corner View). n17

FOR SALE—Lot at North Vancouver, D. L. 204, near Second Narrows bridge; owner will sell for what is offered. P. O. Box 1446, city. n22

QUARTER-ACRE LOTS close to car line are few and far between, but we have them and they are cheap. W. R. Reynolds & Co., 301 Times Building. Phone 2824. n17

SNAP EXTRAORDINARY—2 lots, corner of Belmont avenue, just 2 minutes from Fort street car, and will be much nearer when Pandora avenue extension goes through, raising all surrounding values; price only $3,000. These lots will eventually go to $2,000 each. Act at once, as this is too good to last long. Easy terms upon application to G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street. Open evenings. n18

$8,000 handles the finest hotel, apartment, or restaurant site in the city, total frontage on three streets 375 feet, three minutes from post office. This is an old price and will certainly double in value in one year. Full particulars upon application to G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government St. Open evenings. n18

COR. OF VANCOUVER and Fairfield Rd. Price $3500, $1000 cash, balance arranged very easy, fully modern, 6-roomed house. With little alteration this could be made an ideal store. J. Porter, 704 Yates St. Phone 2837.

MISCELLANEOUS

COOKING—Private lessons given by lady, day or evening. Diploma Glasgow School of Cooking. Phone 2533. n18

THE LABORERS' PROTECTIVE UNION meets on Friday next at 7.30 p. m. in the Labor Hall, corner of Johnson and Douglas streets. n17

A CHRISTMAS PRESENT FOR YOU—$100 cash prize competition. Last five days for Royal Shorthand competition, entries close 20th November; beginners only. Write, phone or call Royal Stenographic School, Phone 2601, 426 Sayward Building. Prize given December 23rd.

THE DOROTHY TEA ROOM, 1006 Broad, Pemberton Block. Breakfasts, light lunches, afternoon tea. Open 9 a. m. to 7 p. m. d7

RENT A NO. 7 REMINGTON TYPEWRITER—$5 for 3 months. It pays to do business in a business-like way. Remington Typewriter Co., Ltd., 216 Pemberton Block. d3

SEWING DONE AT HOME. 121 Kingston street. Phone L2883. n19

YOU WANT a firm of smart accountants. Phone 3005. Prince, Cairns & Co., stock brokers, accountants, real estate, insurance, company promoters. Specials in city lots and houses. 1303 Broad street, corner Yates.

FULL INFORMATION on divorce laws of Nevada and other states sent on receipt of 25c. each. Western Information Bureau, Goldfield, Nev. n24

DO YOU REQUIRE 1 or 2 hours' dance music at your "evenings," etc.? Strict time guaranteed. Box 364, Times. n24

FOR GOOD RESULTS list your property with G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street. Phones: Office, 1500; Res., 2538.

J. W. BOLDEN, carpenter. Alterations, jobbing work, repairs, etc. Address 1616 Cook, or Phone 1308.

IF YOU WANT to sell your house, list it with the City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas street, who make a specialty of homes and who photograph all the houses they have for sale. a19 tf

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—Central, two large, furnished, housekeeping rooms, in private residence, to abstaining, desirable adults, electric light and bath; no dogs or parrots wanted. 638 Princess avenue. n22

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms; 559 Hillside Ave. n22

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS and stable to let. 858 North Park street. n24

TO LET—Furnished housekeeping room; also one unfurnished, with grate. 2621 Douglas street. n20

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

FIRST-CLASS CARPENTRY, alterations and repairs, designs draughted, by C. Woolley, 1151 Princess avenue, Victoria.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER desires few more customers, $1.75 per day. Box 737, Times. n17

SITUATION WANTED by experienced lady cook, in private family. 2121 Sayward avenue. n17

WOMAN requires housework by day. Apply Box 437, Times. n17

TRAINED ENGLISH NURSE is open for engagements; maternity or general. 1526 Amelia street. n25

A BIG SNAP

PRETTY FIVE ROOM COTTAGE, situate on Chaucer street, fitted with all modern conveniences.

Price $3,000

Terms, $750 cash, balance as rent.

John Greenwood

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FOR SALE—HOUSES.

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A BEAUTIFUL, NEW, MODERN HOME, just outside the half mile circle, nicely located on a 55-foot lot, 7 rooms, hall, bath, very large pantry, excellent hot air furnace, fine full cement basement, 7 feet in clear, laundry, gas range, coal range, window blinds, electric light fixtures, and every detail for a home of comfort and convenience; can be sold fully furnished for immediate occupancy. Call and see owner, after 2 p. m., 2607 Work street. n28

JAMES BAY—$500 cash, balance easy terms, buys a new, 5 room house, near car line. E. J. Dobie, 918 Government. n17

A BARGAIN—New house, four rooms, with bathroom, pantry, clothes closets, etc., high and dry lot, 60x110, fenced, front lawn terraced and sown, close to car, full basement, the best buy in the city at the price, $2,550; $450 cash, balance $25 per month. Imperial Realty Co., 545 Bastion street. n17

A REAL SNAP—Six roomed, fully modern house on Princess avenue, electric light, gas, furnace, large, level lot, 60x120; price for the balance of the week $4,500; $1,000 cash, balance to suit. Apply R. B. Elliott-Elmer R. Sly, 1309 Douglas street. n18

THREE DANDY BUYS—6 room house and two lots, $2,900; new, 4 room bungalow, $2,300; new, 6 room bungalow, $2,700. All of the above are inside the 1½-mile circle, and you can have your choice on terms of $250 cash, balance $15 a month. Wm. Dunford & Son, 232-233 Pemberton Block. n18

DEAR SIR—An 8 room house on a beautiful wide avenue and car line, close in, semi-business; $700 cash makes you the fortunate owner, balance easy terms. E. J. Dobie, 918 Government. n17

JAMES BAY—7 room house on large, highly improved lot, near Beacon Hill park, $4,500, any reasonable terms. E. J. Dobie, 918 Government. n17

JAMES BAY—3 blocks from Government Buildings, new, six room bungalow, bath and pantry, fully modern, hot air furnace, 237 Michigan street. Apply owner, 233 Michigan street. n21

HILLSIDE AVENUE—Less than a mile from the City Hall and right on the new car line, six room house for only $500 cash, and balance as rent. This certainly is a bargain. The price is $2,650. Western Lands, Limited, 1201 Broad street (corner View). n17

YOU NEVER CAN TELL what Craig Darrough Castle may be converted into. But something is going to happen there which will make that beautiful home with a 97 ft. frontage which stands opposite the castle absolutely double in value at $8,500, only $2,000 cash, easy balance, upon application. G. S. Leighton 1112 Government Street. Open evenings. n18

BEECHWOOD AVE., FOUL BAY—New, 5-room bungalow, up-to-date in every detail, on easy terms; $3,200. Camosun Realty Co. n18

PAR EXCELLENCE—New house on a lot 60x120, in splendid residential district, going at $3,000. Future developments (officially announced) will advance to above value 50 per cent. Easy terms upon application to G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government Street. Open evenings. n18

OVER THE BAY—Splendid rooming house, full up all the time, yielding 45 per cent. revenue, for 3 days only. Terms upon application to G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street. Open evenings. n18

FERNWOOD RD.—Near proposed high school, five rooms and basement, house in good condition, all modern; $3,000. Camosun Realty Co. n18

VERY NICE FIVE ROOMED HOUSE on Fort street, below Fernwood road, going for 3 days only at $4,500. Easy terms upon application to G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street. Open evenings. n18

PAR EXCELLENCE—Nice house in an ideal district, on 60x120 lot, going for 3 days only at $3,000. Easy terms upon application to G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street. Open evenings. n18

COOK ST.—On corner near Beacon Hill Park, beautiful, new, 8-room bungalow. All modern conveniences, including basement garage, $6,000; $1,500 cash, balance arranged. Camosun Realty Co. n18

YOUR OWN TERMS—2 new, 6 room cottages on Cloverdale avenue, 4 minutes from car; price $3,500 each; lots 50x136. They are modern and will suit you. Terms to suit. Call up owner, X2945, P. O. Box 85. o5 tf

ROOMS AND BOARD

FURNISHED rooms for respectable men. 738 Pandora St. n18

TWO FURNISHED BEDROOMS, with use of bath, for rent. 613 Garbally Rd., 3rd door from Douglas. n22

SUPERIOR BED AND SITTING ROOMS, bath, h. and c., fuel and attendance, partial board if required, quiet, good locality, on car line. Box 691, Times. n18

TO LET—Furnished bedroom, with admission to kitchen. 314 Oswego street. n17

CAHALAN—Comfortable winter home for paying guests; opposite lake, Beacon Hill Park. 325 Douglas street. Phone 1995. n18

FURNISHED ROOM, with breakfast if desired. Box No. 526 Times. d2

ROOM AND BOARD with English family can be had by 2 or 3 respectable gentlemen. Would suit 2 or 3 friends. Terms moderate. 725 Vancouver St. n17

BEDS, $1 per week; sober workers only. Australian Boarding House, 2641 Douglas. n28

CLARENCE HOTEL—Under new management. Yates and Douglas streets. Moderate prices. Phone 1067.

NEW HOTEL BRUNSWICK—Best location, no bar, strictly first-class, special winter rates, two entrances. Corner Douglas and Yates. Phone 317.

Cranmore Heights

It was our intention to have advertised this new subdivision very extensively, but while we have been getting ready, seventeen lots out of the thirty have been sold. The lots remaining are just as good as those which are gone. There is sea view from several while others are sheltered and nicely treed. Hampshire Road north is to be extended through the property, which lies between Cranmore Road and Bowker avenue.

Lots range in price from

$800 to $1,000

on very easy terms. If you are interested, call at the office and let us show you the lots which others are buying.

H. F. Pullen

Oak Bay Realty Office

2056 Oak Bay Ave. Phone F1605

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"THE CORONA," at 2412 Douglas street. Board and rooms; terms moderate. Telephone L150.

THE POPLARS—Room and board, $1 per day; single meals, 25c.; the best in the city for the money. Corner Belleville and Government streets, one minute from C. P. R. docks. d7

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Second-hand boiler, in sound condition, about 36 horse power. Box 755, Times. n18

ADVERTISER HAS $500 to invest in a good lot. What offers? Box 751, Times. n18

BOARD AND LODGINGS wanted by male teacher, in the vicinity of Gorge road or Hillside avenue; state terms. Box 735, Times. n17

WANTED—A good driving pony. Apply Excelsior Bar after 2 p. m., and on Sundays G. Mayer, Glanford avenue. n17

WANTED—Immediately, a good ground floor front office, in a central position; or would make immediate purchase of 30 or 40 feet and build, but no fancy price will be paid. Apply Arthur H. Harman, 1317 Broad street. No commission required. n18

WANTED—Good lot to build residence on, must be cheap; give price and terms. Box 5690, Times. n11 tf

SECOND-HAND STOVES wanted at Foxgord's. Inquire 1008 Douglas. Phone L1382.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned as the Wales Electric Company, 1103 Douglas Street, Victoria, B. C., has been dissolved this day by mutual consent, S. D. Wales retiring from the said business. Messrs. Hughes and Creech will continue the business at the same address under the style of Creech-Hughes Electric Company. All debts owing to said partnership are to be paid to them, and all liabilities of said partnership will be settled by them.

Dated 14th November, 1911.

S. D. WALES,
K. T. HUGHES,
W. H. CREECH.

ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

NEW GOODS TO HAND

Order your goods early and avoid the rush at Christmas. Your purchasing now will enable you to get a better selection. We regret to say that owing to the general strike in England, that our big shipment of Bon-Bons will not arrive till the end of this month. We advise you to wait and see our display and then we know that you will admit that the same is the greatest selection ever placed before the public in Victoria or B. C.

SEEDED RAISINS — WALNUTS
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In fact everything here to tone the inner man and make life one ray of Sunshine.

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Boys' Strong Boots Only $1.50

Here's a strong Oil Grain Boot, warranted solid all through. Just the boot for these wet days. Look up what you paid for the last pair of boys boots, then examine this one. Boys' sizes 1 to 5, **$1.50.** Youths' sizes 11 to 13, only **$1.25**

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HOLTZAPFELS COPPER PAINT, in gallons, half gallons and quarts.
DAVIES BROTHERS, London, GENUINE WHITE AND RED LEAD, LINSEED OILS.
Also a quantity of the best SWEDISH CHAIN.

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This Timothy Hay for Horse Feed is considered by all Horsemen the best on the coast and we have imported a few carloads. If you want a sweet green hay come and see our quality.

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NOW NOS. 1 AND 2
McGREGOR BLOCK
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Phone 928. Evenings Phone XX2123.
Track Laying Has Commenced on
BURNSIDE ROAD
GARDEN CITY LOTS WILL BOOM.
LARGE QUARTER-ACRE LOTS alongside car track, $400 to $550; only $50 cash. These prices will shortly be increased.
$275 CASH—Cloverdale Ave., handsome lot, with fine oak tree, 60x135, price $950; splendid homesite.
$125 CASH—Sims Ave., off Carey road, few minutes from car, only $425; last at this price; balance $15 a month.
$300 CASH—Lot just 2 minutes from Douglas St. car, near Cloverdale, only $700; terms for balance.
FAIRFIELD LOTS—Corner George street, $1,100; Durban street, $1,200; Clifford, $1,100.
$525 FOR LOT on Forbes street, close to Bay street; $175 cash and $15 a month.

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Favored with instructions from the representatives of the late Mr. W. F. Morphy, will sell by auction, at the
Ranch at Goldstream Road
close to Colwood Station, on
Thursday, Nov. 23rd
The whole of the
LIVE-STOCK, POULTRY, IMPLEMENTS, FURNITURE, ETC.
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Consisting of Lot of Watches, China Ornaments, Wicker Baskets, Lot of Razors, Books, Chinaware, Clothing, etc.
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AUCTIONEERS
Duly instructed by Griffiths Hughes, Esq., of Cobble Hill, will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION at McCleave's Riding School, Cadboro Bay Road, on
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At 2:30 p. m.
a number of
FIRST-CLASS
MARES AND FOALS
Including:
Roan Mare, rising 7 years, about 1200 lbs., a good worker, together with Bay Foal at foot, about 6 months old.
Sorrel Mare, about 1200 lbs., with bay foal at foot, 5 months old.
Bay Filly, rising 2 years old.
Pedigree Black Filly, 3 years old, for which registration papers can be obtained.
Roan Gelding, yearling.
Brown Filly, 6 months old, a full sister of the above mentioned 3-year-old black filly.
The above will be on view on Thursday, November 23rd at the Riding School. Any one wishing to enter any Livestock, Horses, Poultry, etc., to be sold at this sale, can do so by applying to either Mr. McCleave or to
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Something About Mainland Chief Magistrates — Reeve McNaught's Varied Career

Among the many municipal leaders who have been in convention here the last two or three days none is more striking in point of public interest than Reeve McNaught, who guides the destinies of North Vancouver. There are few better informed men on the potentialities of the great Canadian West than he, and assuredly there is none more optimistic. When Reeve McNaught becomes pessimistic it will be a sure sign that the end of the world is at hand.

As his name implies, Mr. McNaught belongs to a race which scorn the limitations which the seven seas or international boundary lines attempt to set upon human endeavor and will be found in every line of activity in every quarter of the globe. He has ranched in the Northwest, fought on the South African veldt, travelled in various countries and is now devoting himself heart and soul to the upbuilding of North Vancouver. When Reeve McNaught opens the floodgates of his eloquence on the inspiring theme of North Vancouver his audience never fails to be infected with his spirit.

For the last two or three years he has been the prime mover in the Burrard Tunnel and Bridge Company, whose object is to connect Vancouver senior and junior by bridge and tunnel. At the head of deputations he made several visits to Ottawa, incidentally engaging in a battle of diplomacy and wits with the Vancouver, New Westminster and Yukon Railway Company's representative, which had been awarded a Dominion subsidy of $200,000 towards the construction of the bridge. The company not having provided the bridge, Mr. McNaught wanted the subsidy diverted to the Burrard Tunnel and Bridge Company. The upshot of the negotiations was an arrangement satisfacaory to both parties.

When Sir Wilfrid Laurier visited the coast last summer he was very early informed of the future greatness of North Vancouver. Reeve McNaught poured into the distinguished statesman's ear so alluring a tale of the advantages of his home town that it is a wonder Sir Wilfrid did not announce his intention of becoming a resident there.

Last year Mr. McNaught went to Scotland to visit his relatives, and during his sojourn in Glasgow, Edinburgh and other cities was an animated publicity agent for British Columbia and the Canadian West generally.

Another prominent Mainland leader of municipal politics who was here was Reeve Bowser of Point Grey, whose quiet personality covers a multitude of excellencies, and to whose wise discretion and able guidance Point Grey owes much of the prosperity it enjoys to-day. Talking with a Times representative this morning the reeve declared that in four short years his darling municipality had grown in population from a paltry one hundred and fifty to about five thousand. From a series of bridle paths or Indian trails the municipality had blossomed out into a regular miniature city with thoroughfares directly tributary to the great city of Vancouver with which it is so closely allied, educationally as well as topographically. In discussing the progress and development of Point Grey Reeve Bowser waxed eloquent in regard to the proposed Marine Drive which will bound the country round and round within a radius of many miles, and will form one of the finest drives on the continent of America. He stated that the assessment amounted to a shade less than twenty million dollars, a figure exclusive altogether of government lands, which of course are not assessed at all. Its tax rate is six mills on improvements and ten mills on wild land. It is impossible to speak to anyone more enthusiastically wrapped up in his own sphere than Reeve Bowser is in Point Grey, and only those who have visited the municipality and partaken of its beautiful atmospheric and natural charms can appreciate his point of view correctly.

Reeve A. M. Pound, of South Vancouver, who also attended the conference of the B. C. Union of Municipalities, in the course of a chat with a Times representative said yesterday he believed that the annexation of his suburban municipality to the great Mainland city was not a matter of such immediate action as had been the case twelve months ago, owing to a number of circumstances which had altered in that time. The B.C.E.R. showed no intention to come to a readjustment of the franchises with the districts served from Vancouver, as was shown by the differential charges made in Hastings Townsite and District Lot 301 for fares, although they had recently been absorbed into the city. While, as it would be remembered, he had been the champion of incorporation some two years ago, the residents had voted strongly in favor of annexation, and he felt duty bound to respect their wishes by making the best terms possible, but he still believed that had the district secured incorporation as a city they would have been able under the extra powers conferred to purchase land for hospital and similar accommodation at an expenditure which was impossible at the present time owing to the great advance in prices. They had hoped to see the whole municipality incorporated and not merely the urban portion, but as the law only allowed 2,000 acres to be incorporated, and the area of the municipality was thirteen square miles, or more than the enlarged Vancouver, they found considerable difficulties in the way.

In accordance with the wish of the ratepayers a vote was to be taken early in December on the annexation question, but the difficulty was to secure a proper voters' list owing to the enormous real estate development in the municipality. About 175 transactions were being registered every day from the municipality, and so fast was the property changing hands that it was impossible to keep track of it. They had more owners of property in the municipality, owing to it being practically all sub-divided, than in the city of Vancouver.

If the vote was taken in December, and the necessary fifty-one per cent. failed to register their vote, which was certain to be the case, they would ask for special legislation at the next session of the Legislature. He was in touch with the Attorney-General on the subject at the present time.

OUR LETTER BOX

PHYSICAL DEGENERATES.

To the Editor: For four days infants and invalids were deprived of their daily and absolutely necessary supply of milk. I asked at the creamery what was the cause of the neglect and was informed the drivers objected to go out in the snow!

I know quite a few young cowboys, etc., to whom I will have much pleasure in mentioning this amusing episode, and can fancy their yells of laughter. Why, there are women in the northwest who would turn out and do the work those "milk and water" Johns refused to do, during a few days of harmless snow and thaw.

If such neglect of duty should cause the death of a puny infant or invalid, could the much vaunted strong arm of the law reach far enough to "pinch" the creamery man or his drivers,—who contracted to supply milk every day and receive payment by the month? If not some kind of an act should be cobbled up by our legislators to protect the lives of the smallest and weakest of the human species.

During the past ten years I have noted that a large percentage of men when they pass the athletic age, have a tendency to become abnormally round and soft. This I attribute principally to want of physical exercise and the perpetual use of trams and motorcars, etc. Men are frequently to be seen waiting patiently for fully a quarter of an hour for a car to take them to town, distant half a mile.

I confess to being now in the sere and yellow leaf and nothing short of necessity would induce me to travel by tram or motor car. Thank God I know members of all the learned professions in Victoria except the medical, for whom I have a profound respect, but, personally, no use. I may conclude by saying that men after the athletic age eat and drink (and talk about it) far too much,—in fact they look upon it as a matter of profound importance. To all of which I plead not guilty, and enjoy remarkably good health.

Such a state of things, tending to effeminacy, combined with laziness, will produce a sorry crowd to recruit an army from in the future.

"ANTI-FAT."

HINDU PROBLEM.

To the Editor:—I have read John Nelson's letter in your last issue with great interest.

I have often wondered why there has not been a demand from the wage-earners of this province for a minimum wage law, the same as is in existence in New Zealand. If this were in vogue here the workers need not fear the competition of Hindus or other Oriental labor. I am strongly opposed to a large influx of labor from India, but I do feel and think that this province can with profit stand a limited number, say 250 to 300 annually. I can say emphatically that the religious organizations are not working with dukes, millionaires and others to bring Hindus to Canada. To the shame of the churches be it said, they as a whole have not done anything to help lighten the burden of our Hindu fellow-subjects here, or in any way to help them get what they want, viz., family life.

Mr. Hall, Chinese missionary here, is going to Ottawa as a private citizen with Professor Taja Singh, M.A., and Dr. Surder Singh to interview the government. The Presbyterian church, under whose auspices Mr. Hall is working amongst the Chinese here, has nothing whatever to do with his visit to Ottawa.

Dr. Surder Singh, whom I know well and thoroughly respect, has the welfare of his people at heart in every way. It is true he is more westernized than many, and for months wore a hat, but not to wound the susceptibilities of some of his people. He has given the hat up and is keeping to the turban.

I take issue with Mr. Nelson in saying very few of the Hindus knew of the efforts being made to help them get their families here. Large meetings have been held in Vancouver, with on more than one occasion several hundred present to take the matter up. One Sunday afternoon here there were nearly 100 Sikhs present when the matter was fully discussed, and I was present at this meeting.

I am greatly interested in the Hindu question, as I know we shall all live to rue the day if justice is not done to them in the various parts of the British Empire.

Might I ask Mr. Nelson if he and his friends would not help to get the minimum wage law brought into force in this province? If this was done I have no hesitation whatever in saying that it would do more than anything else to settle any difficulties that might arise between Orientals and English-speaking people.

ROBERT WM. CLARK.

OVERHEAD CHECK REIN.

To the Editor:—Again and yet again, and now once more, I have on behalf of the S.P.C.A. to crave a small space in your columns to denounce the abuse of the overhead check rein. The matter was brought before our annual meeting on Wednesday evening, and a letter was read from a correspondent, from which I extract the following:

"Last Sunday, although cold, I saw a horse, steaming and white with lather, pulling its owner up a hill in Rockland avenue. It absolutely could not move its head."

It has been repeatedly demonstrated that in many cases where it is required the practice should not be carried to excess. When that point is passed it becomes absolute cruelty, and is a disgrace to any driver or owner of "man's best friend." May I once more put in a merciful plea for, if not the abolishment, at least the curtailment, of a practice which is in many cases unnecessary, and, where it is, should only be used in moderation.

THOS. W. PALMER,
Hon. Sec.

The ADVANCE MAN

"The Spring Maid."

That opera of swaying, passion-tinged rhythm, "The Spring Maid," which marked the passage of the Waltz King's crown from Johann Strauss to Heinrich Reinhart, will be sung by Werba and Luescher's company of singers at the Victoria theatre Monday and Tuesday, November 20 and 21.

It is a picture of elegance, of sparkling life beauty that irresistibly charms and amuses. The spirit of gay Carlsbad with the mischief-making spring girls and the audacious officers, the merry humor of the strolling band of players, the dainty fascination of the legendary story of the hunted rabbit and the huntsman, the wood nymphs and the unusual ballet scenes, adoring swains and adorable dresses, light laughter and song are in it and make memorable and kaleidoscopic pictures.

The threads of intrigue tangle into a play that could live without a note of music, and hold the sure attention of the hearers. Misunderstandings and unexpected denouements come thick and fast, and develop a climax unusually dramatic for light opera.

Of almost equal importance with the story and merry harmonies is the scenic investiture Werba and Luecher have given with a lavish hand. The scene at Carlsbad Springs brilliant in gay costuming and panoramic view of the village; the colorful peasant fete at Bitterbrunen, and the forest scene with springing fountains and flitting elves amid the human love-makers, make remarkable stage pictures.

With such a setting there is little wonder the famous waltzes lack nothing in their appeal. For the music is what made the success after all. There has been much good music in many Viennese and Bohemia light operas of the "Fatinitta" and "Merry Widow" kind, but easy brilliancy, the flowing melodious element, the dramatic style and the warm, palpitating life are peculiary balanced here in "The Spring Maid."

And Missi Hajos, the merry little prima donna, carries the fascination of her wilfulness, her mischief, her teasing mood fascinating from the first to the final moments. The cast approaches the long-awaited "well balanced cast" and proves its right to the long unworn laurels of the Bostonians. George Leon Moore, Dorothy Maynard, Tillie Salinger, Jack Raffael and others will be long remembered.

"Alias Jimmy Valentine."

"Alias Jimmy Valentine," the detective thief play which will be seen at the Victoria theatre next Wednesday, November 22, has been played in every portion of the globe. At Wallack's theatre, New York, it played two years. In London Charles Frohman has successfully presented the play where it duplicated its New York success. In Paris and Berlin "Alias Jimmy Valentine" also scored heavily. From far-off Australia also comes the news that "Alias Jimmy Valentine" has made the theatregoers of that country sit up and take notice. H. B. Warner, the creator of the play's fascinating hero, will be seen in the title role during the play's engagement here. The original New York company which played two years at Wallack's, will support Mr. Warner.

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